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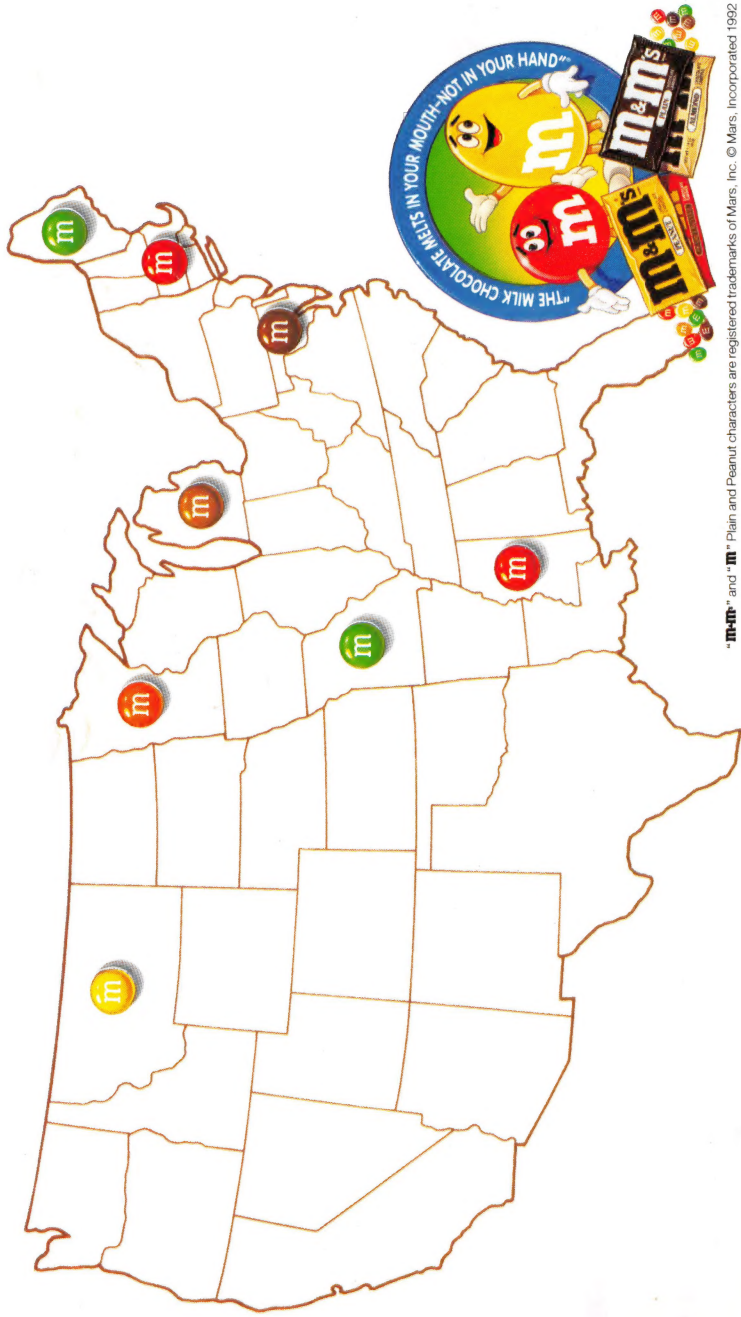
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On our cover, we promised to tell you **25** things you (probably) didn't know about **Michael Jackson.**

When we talked to him at our photo shoot, we found out two things to start with:

1. He has a subscription to **DISNEY ADVENTURES**—he says it's one of his all-time favorite magazines. 2. His favorite animated character is **Pinocchio.** (Yup, that's why he picked the wooden wonder to join him on our cover!) For more about marvelous Michael, see **Page 20.** Oh, and here's a little message from our cover star:

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on

Michael Jackson

Here's Michael holding his **DISNEY ADVENTURES** jacket.

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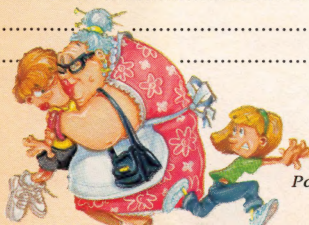
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TROLLS ON WHEELS

I love your magazines. My sister and I read them before we go to bed at night. One of our favorite articles was about the races in France ("Cycling's Toughest Race," July 1992 issue). My favorite hobby is building and creating. I recently made this car for our troll dolls. It has a motor and a steering wheel that actually turns the front wheels.

Billy L'Huillier, 10
Green Bay, Wisconsin

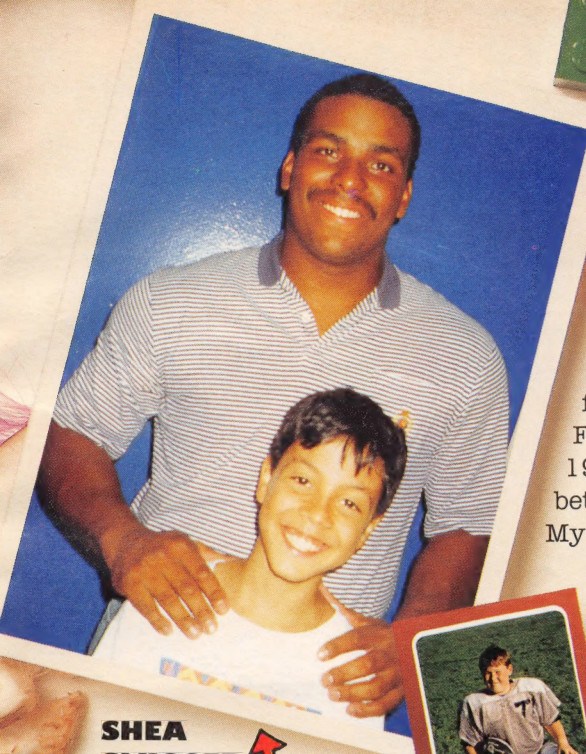


WE KNOW WEIRD

In your January 1993 issue, you proved me wrong. My family and I just got back from Kennett Square, Pennsylvania, where my mom used to live. We went to the Philips Mushroom Museum. I used to tease my mom about how small Kennett Square was and how no one knew about it. But when I got home, there it was in *Weird Yet True*. Boy, was I wrong.

Elizabeth Cova, 11
North Augusta,
South Carolina

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SHEA SLUGGER

I went to Shea Stadium and met a Mets player. He is right fielder Bobby Bonilla, Number 25. He took a picture with me. He also signed my baseball card and my baseball. It was an exciting experience.

Harry C. Santiago, 11
Bronx, New York



Sports Photo
Montrose Youth Football

FOOTBALL RULES!

I love your article about football ("Football's Fiercest Players," January 1993 issue). I liked it better than my computer. My favorite player is Steve Atwater, safety for the Denver Broncos. Here's one of my football cards.

Michael Carlson, 11
Montrose, Colorado



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SHAKE A LEGO!

Everybody calls me "Lego-Man Dan." The reason is, I collect Legos. My dad has an old piano that I built my Lego city on top of. But whenever someone plays the piano, Earthquake! for my Lego people!

Dan Austin, 12
Rapid City, South Dakota

This Ain't No Game.



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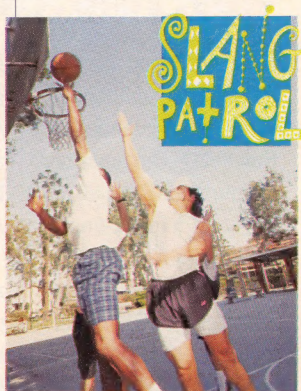
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blacktop basketball

Out of the kitchen *adj.*

phrase. Very important.

Tommy's three-pointer was out of the kitchen!

Shoot the rock *verb*

phrase. To throw the ball at the basket. John was shootin' the rock all morning to warm up for the game.



Malcolm Bedell, 14, Sierra Madre, CA

Malcolm's favorite decorating device: little green Army men—attacking Dylan!

ROOMS WITH ATTITUDE

If you think your room is cool, send a picture to Rooms With Attitude.

hey, Johntá! what's news?

How would you like to meet Magic Johnson? What about Evander Holyfield? The governor of your state? It's all in a day's work for 12-year-old Johntá Austin, an Atlanta, Georgia-based reporter for TBS' "Real News for Kids." Johntá ran up from his basement where he was playing Nintendo (fave game: Streetfighter II) to give us the scoop on his very cool job.

How he got the job:

"For the first audition I read a script on camera. I was kinda nervous, but

I kept getting called back and then I was psyched. After about a year of auditioning I got the part."

Most exciting story: "The Atlanta Sports Carnival 'cause it was my first assignment and I met so many cool people, like basketball player Dominique Wilkins, boxer Evander Holyfield...lots of sports stars."

Toughest interview: "Governor Miller of Georgia. I always get nervous when I do politics."

Most surprising interview: "Brandon

Adams, who played Jessie in *The Mighty Ducks*. He turned out to be a real mellow guy, just like his character."

Thoughts about Chris Smith of Kris Kross: "I went to elementary school with him. I think he's kinda mellow, but a lot of people don't like him. Everybody thinks he's got a big head."

Danger on the job: "One time when we went out to report a story, the cameraman accidentally got slammed by a junior varsity football player. He was trying to get a shot to

go with the line, 'We'll tackle a great sports story.' Then he got tackled."

Dream job: "I wanna try to launch a singing career."



Atlanta
Braves'
outfielder
Deion Sanders
fields
questions
from
newskid
Johntá Austin

I am the reason that Flaps is the night

JAMMIN' JUNE



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National Yo-Yo Day

Don't act like one, just play with one.

drawn by
Reykeel Zorio, 14
Garden Grove, CA

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Donald Duck's B-Day

Lookin' good for a 'toon who's 59!

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Father's Day

Now, *he* deserves a break today....

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Chicken Clucking Contest in Baltimore, Maryland. For humans only: arm flapping and neck pecking optional.

NEWSBITS

Not everything you hear about the environment is bad news: The California gray whale—once an endangered species—has been taken off the list. Since gray whale hunting was outlawed in 1970, the whale population has grown and grown and *grown*. So head west for some most excellent whale watching.

On an average day when kids in Japan are working, kids in the U.S. are, well, take a look:*

	U.S.	JAPAN
In school	5 hours, 20 minutes	7 hours, 1 minute
Doing homework	25 minutes	2 hours, 4 minutes
Sleeping	8 hours, 57 minutes	8 hours, 17 minutes
Playing games and sports	1 hour, 27 minutes	44 minutes
Watching TV	2 hours, 15 minutes	2 hours, 17 minutes
Reading	11 minutes	25 minutes

*Hours/minutes don't add up to 24 hours....Who knows what kids are doing the rest of the time!



Here's what's hot and what's not at Olive Vista Middle School in Sylmar, California.

IN

Baggy pants

Football

Basketball

Down (supercool)

"Martin"

Streetfighter II

OUT

Tight clothes,
anything spandex

Skateboarding

Surfing

Cool

"Beverly Hills, 90210"

Super Mario Bros.



At Olive Vista Middle School, baggy pants are way down!



drawn by Terry Brown, 16, Lakewood, NJ

Dr. Sonny Rush wants to save Refrigerator Perry's neck. Literally. So he designed a football helmet with a built-in air bag.

When two bulldozer linemen crash head-on— whoosh!— the air bag automatically inflates around

the neck. Rush says that wearing the air bag will decrease the possibility of painful backbone injuries.



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They're plumbers with a

plan: Enter a parallel universe, fight 8-foot-tall dinosaurs and save a princess from a crazed lizard king. Can they do it? Are their names **Mario and Luigi**? Check out the wild action in ***Super Mario Bros.***, the movie....Feel like a good belly laugh? **Charlie**

Sheen is back as special agent Topper Harley in ***Hot Shots!***

Part Deux. He globe-trots (from a kick-boxing arena in Thailand to an Iraqi palace) to rescue hostages stuck in a prison between Iraq

and Ahardplace. (Get it?)....You're totally broke and your best friend is rolling in it. What would you do if you found out his extremely wealthy parents are actually *your* parents? In ***Splitting Heirs***, the guy who lost his inheritance gives **Rick Moranis** (***Honey, I Blew Up the Baby***) a run for his money....We've seen him on movie posters and billboards, but **Arnold Schwarzenegger** has never before soared to such universal fame: An ad for his new movie, ***The Last Action Hero***, is being pasted on a NASA rocket and blasted into space. Wonder what E.T. thinks of this?

Goomba alert! The Mario Bros. face bad guys like this in their first movie.

HOT PICKS

D.A.'s picks for the

FICTION

Before you see the movie, read the book: ***Jurassic Park—The Novelization*** by Gail Herman and ***Super Mario Bros.*** by Todd Strasser.

Phyllis Reynolds Naylor (she wrote ***Shiloh***) has a new novel, ***The Boys Start the War***, about two feuding families.

Punch With Judy by Avi tells about a shy boy who must save a traveling medicine show.

Is Underground is the latest book in Joan Aiken's ***Wolves*** series. (Read them all, starting with ***The Wolves of Willoughby Chase!***)

Joan Lowery Nixon delivers more spine-tingling mysteries with ***The Name of the Game Was Murder*** and

A Deadly Promise.

Red alert, Gary Paulsen fans! His new book, ***Nightjohn***, is about a young slave who learns to read.

The Pirates' Mixed-Up Voyage by Margaret Mahy is a very funny story about tea-shop employees who embark on a life of piracy.

Bull Run by Paul Fleischman is a book of short stories offering different views of this famous Civil War battle.

The Boggart by Susan Cooper tells the story of a Scottish spirit who plays mischief with high-tech computers.

NONFICTION

Discover Dinosaurs: Become a Dinosaur Detective by Chris McGowan tells how to

excavate dino bones.

Want to send your friends secret

messages? Read ***Codes & Ciphers: Hundreds of Unusual & Secret Ways to Communicate*** by Christina Ashton.

Each pocket-sized book in the ***Inside Pitch*** series focuses on a major-league baseball team.

In-Line Skating: A Complete Guide for Beginners by George Sullivan gives tips on skating, safety and skate care.

Change the world! Get your inspiration from ***It's Our World, Too! Young People Who Are Making a Difference*** by Philip Hoose.

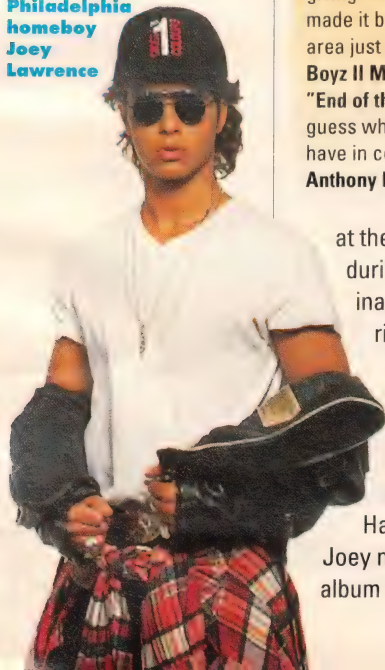
Table Top Football: A Guide to the Classic Lunchroom Sport by the editors of Klutz Press gives you the rules of the game plus a "finger" football to play with.



To pull the plug or not to pull

the plug? That's the hottest musical question these days, and **Boyz II Men** said "pull it." They recently taped an "MTV Unplugged" session; it'll be released as an album any day now....Speaking of Boyz II Men, we heard that Vice-President **Al Gore's** daughters are big-time Boyz fans! In fact, the Boyz were the only group invited to sing

Philadelphia homeboy Joey Lawrence



D.A. does the Grammys

We were there!

D.A. lucked out

and got two backstage passes to the Grammy Awards. It was wild! Hundreds of reporters swarmed backstage, waiting for the winners to come talk to us. On the way to the bathroom, we bumped into **Sir-Mix-A-Lot!** The Sir, who won for best rap artist, thought **Queen Latifah** should have won a Grammy, but said, "I ain't giving mine back." We made it back to the press area just in time to hear **Boyz II Men** harmonizing "End of the Road." Oh, guess what Boyz II Men have in common with **Anthony Kiedis** of the **Red**

Hot Chili Peppers and **Arrested Development?**

They're all giving their Grammys to their moms! *Sweetness!* Just when things seemed to be slowing down, the Peppers sang a spur-of-the-moment version of **Eric Clapton's** "Tears in Heaven" to a reporter. Wouldn't you like to be a pepper, too? The night was almost over when photographers and reporters started stampeding toward us. A curtain was pulled and we were just inches from one of our all-time idols—**Michael Jackson!** We were so close it was a *total*/thriller! And then he jammed.

at the Veep's house during the inauguration. All right, Gore Girls!....So you still can't get enough of **Joey Lawrence?** Have no fear. Joey now has an album out, so you can

listen to him 24 hours a day. D.A.'s fave tracks: "**Nothing My Love Can't Fix**" and "**I Like the Way.**" A few things we found out about Joey: He writes a lot of his own songs; his favorite song is "**Motown Philly**"; and he'd love to sing a duet with **Mariah Carey**. (Whoa!) Move over **Trey Lorenz**.



Ever wonder what the world looks like through your dog's eyes? Grab the new video, ***Doggie Adventure***. Since it's shot from a pooch's perspective, you can experience everything from chasing a car to

rolling in mud. (Don't let your dog watch, though—he might get too excited.)

And you'd better remember to give cats equal time because you know how mean they can get when they're



mad—Hisssss! To see the world through feline eyes, watch ***Video Catnip***.

Become a ferocious ball of flying fur as you take off after birds, chipmunks and squirrels.

YOU VOTED from the ballot in the February 1993 issue. Then we pretended we were accountants and added everything up. Now, the results of your votes. Drumroll, please....

THE goofy awards

BEST VIDEO TO PLAY BACKWARD

My Girl

TV FAMILY YOU'D MOST LIKE TO LIVE WITH

The Tanners of "Full House"

BEST FOOD ON TV

Burger and Fries at The Max on "Saved by the Bell"

BEST TV SHOW ON A TV SHOW

"Tool Time" on "Home Improvement"

GOOFIEST MOVIE PERFORMANCE

Wayne & Garth in *Wayne's World*

MEANEST MOVIE DUDE:

Jafar in *Aladdin*

BEST MOVIE LINE

"...and ma'am, sometimes I do get into mischief. We all do." —Kevin in *Home Alone 2*

BEST PERFORMANCE BY AN OBJECT

Thing in *Addam's Family*

COOLEST ANIMATED CRITTER ON THE BIG SCREEN

Beast in *Beauty and the Beast*

COOLEST MOVIE COUPLE

Aladdin and Jasmine in *Aladdin*

BEST SONG IN A COMMERCIAL

"I Like the Sprite in You"

THE "WHAT IS THIS VIDEO ABOUT?" AWARD

Nirvana's "Smells Like Teen Spirit"

REPEAT THE BEAT AWARD

Kris Kross' "Jump"

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En Vogue



Inking: Larry Mayer

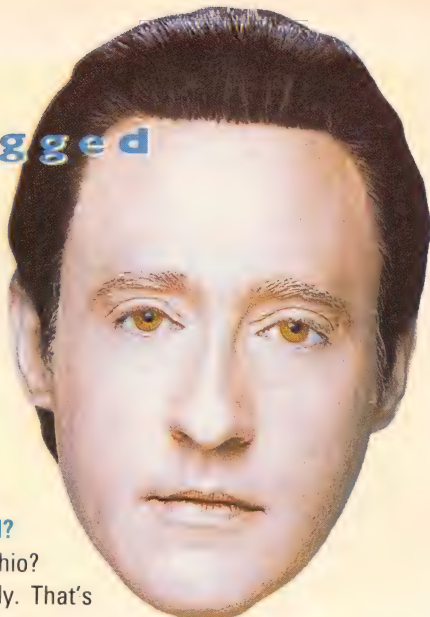
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Data unplugged

Ticket



BRENT SPINER plays
Lieutenant Commander
Data, an android with
major strength and an
awesome memory, on
“Star Trek:
The Next Generation.”



Q: Do those yellow contacts make everything look yellow?

A: No, they don't, because the pupil—the black part of your eye—is what you see out of. The pupil part of the contacts is clear.

Q: Is that makeup itchy?

A: No, it's just irritating, because I can't touch my face. If my face itches, I can't scratch it. I can't sneeze. I can't blow my nose.

Q: What qualities do you admire most in Data?

A: He's incapable of cruelty. He's trustworthy and kind. I think Data's sort of a perfect being, in that he's only capable of positive.

Q: Does Data want to be real?

A: Like Pinocchio? Yeah, absolutely. That's his dream, to be real.

Q: Are there doors on Data?

A: Well, there are openings. In almost every other episode they remove a part of his head so you can see inside. We've opened up his arm; and I think they opened the chest at one point.

Q: Is the inside supposed to look human?

A: No. It's all computer circuitry, wires and little blinking lights. Data, even at his most human, is still a machine.

Q: If Data committed

murder, would he be punished for it?

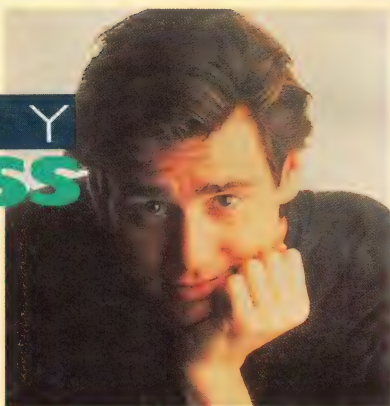
A: Yes. He's an officer in Starfleet, and murder's not allowed, not even by an android.

Q: Would you like to spend eternity in a Data-like body?

A: I don't think so. I think whatever the human life cycle is, that's the ride I want to be on. If people don't die, imagine how overpopulated this planet would be in about 50 years. There'd be no room to move around!

—Erin Dean and
Malcolm Bedell

FUNNY Business



You may have seen him play Vera de Milo and Fire Marshall Bill on Fox's "In Living Color"—and you probably laughed your head off. **Jim Carrey** is so funny he sometimes cracks himself up. "Sometimes something comes out of my mouth that I wasn't expecting," he says, "and I'll just cry laughing."



Q: What else makes you laugh?

A: Someone who says something that makes absolutely no sense at all.

Q: Do you ever play with your food?

A: Yeah, and then I eat it. I play with it to

confuse it a little bit, then it tastes better.

Q: What do you like to do in your free time?

A: Movies, movies, movies. I rent 'em and I go to see 'em. It's great now because I can call and say, "I'm from 'In Living Color' and I don't want to stand in line." And they'll actually hold tickets for me.

Q: Cool! Do kids ask you for your autograph?

A: Yep, and I always give it to 'em—except if I'm in church. I don't like that so much. I feel like I'm breaking one of the Ten Commandments.

They look like Michael Bolton and Geraldo, but they're Carrey—really!



STAR Birthdays

JUNE 10

Maurice Sendak, 65
(Author of *Where the Wild Things Are*)

JUNE 11

Joe Montana, 37
(Football player)

JUNE 14

Steffi Graf, 24
(Tennis player)

JUNE 15

Wade Boggs, 35
(Baseball player)

JUNE 19

Paula Abdul, 31
(Singer, dancer)

JUNE 22

Clyde Drexler, 31
(Basketball player)



With **X-Men**,
Uncanny

X-Men, **X-Men Adventures**, **X-Men Unlimited** and **X-Men Classics**, you'd think the X-guys must hold the record for characters with the most comic books. But the all-time champ is **Richie Rich**,

who once had 30 regular books at one time. (We hear there's a **Richie Rich** movie in the works, and **Macaulay Culkin** may play **Richie**.)....Can't get enough of **Sonic the Hedgehog**? Speeding its way to us is the **Sonic** cartoon show, with **Jaleel White** as **Sonic's** voice.

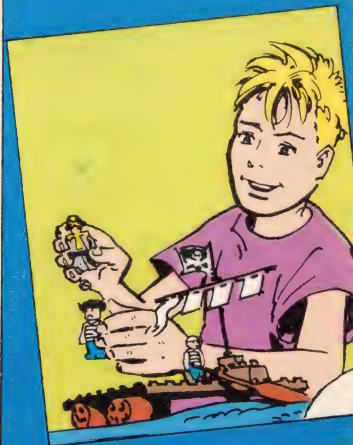
**X-Men or Richie Rich—
who's the champ?**



LEGO

The exciting **LEGO MANIAC®** adventures continue. Can Jack and the Imperial Guards recapture the stolen gold? Or will Captain Red Beard escape and continue with his greedy ways?

Episode Three of "Peril in Pirate Cove" follows Page 63 in this issue.



25 things

you (probably)
didn't know about

OK, so you know that Michael Jackson is the biggest pop star in the world. You know he started singing with his brothers when he was 5 years old. You know he lives on a ranch in California with lots of animals, a movie theater and an amusement park, and that he loves kids of all shapes and sizes. But did you know this?

1. & 2. Check out Hello on Page 1.

3. Michael grew up with eight brothers and sisters. He's the third youngest (then comes Randy and Janet). As a kid, Michael shared a triple bunk bed with his four older brothers. Tito and Jermaine were on top, Michael and Marlon were in the middle, and Jackie (the oldest) was on the bottom.



4. Michael is a serious reader. When he was a teenager, some of his

favorite books were *Rip Van Winkle*

by Washington Irving, *Jonathan Livingston*

Seagull by Richard Bach, and *The*

Old Man and the

Sea by Ernest

Hemingway. "If you can't afford to travel,"

Michael says, "you can travel mentally

through books."

5. Michael likes to draw. Some of his artwork appeared on the

liner sleeves of *Thriller*. His drawing of Mickey Mouse is included in a book called *The Art of Mickey Mouse*.



Michael once had a hit ballad named "Ben," which was about a rat. Michael now owns a boa constrictor named Muscles, which eats one live rat a week! Sorry, Ben!

7.

When Michael first began performing with his brothers, he earned \$20 a week, which he usually spent buying candy for neighborhood kids.

8. Michael is very, very ticklish.

9. The first single Michael ever bought was "Mickey's Monkey" by Smokey Robinson and the Miracles.



ST. VINCENT



ST. VINCENT

10. The Caribbean island of Saint Vincent has issued Michael Jackson postage stamps.

Michael's Neverland Valley in California totals 2,700 acres—more than four square miles. Some of the best rides on Michael's private amusement park are a carousel, a Ferris wheel and a roller coaster. Michael rides a golf cart around his property. (He also owns a Ford Bronco and a Rolls Royce limousine.)

11.

12. When he was younger, Michael liked to hide spiders in his sister La Toya's bed.

13. Michael was 11 years old when he first sang on television with the Jackson 5—for the 1969 Miss Black America Beauty Pageant. This was the same year Michael had his first number one record with the Jackson 5, “I Want You Back.”

14.

When they were making records together, Quincy Jones’ nickname for Michael was “Smelly”—a slang term for “funky,” which means cool. Quincy said: “We call Michael ‘Smelly’ because he’s so polite we can’t get him to say the word ‘funky.’”

18.

Michael is a big fan of The Three Stooges. He once wrote an introduction for a book about Jerome Howard, who played Curly.



19.

Michael once said his voice on some of the early Jackson 5 songs “sounded like Minnie Mouse.”

15.

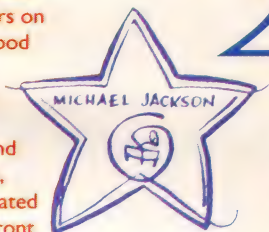
He wrote the song “The Girl Is Mine” with Paul McCartney while watching cartoons.

20.

Michael’s favorite Disneyland ride is Pirates of the Caribbean. When he lived with his parents, Michael built a replica of Main Street. That estate also includes a soda fountain and a 6-foot exhibit of Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs.

16. Michael

has two stars on the Hollywood Walk of Fame. One for the Jackson 5 and one for him, which is located directly in front of the landmark Mann’s Chinese Theater.



21.

Michael’s only two movie roles were a scarecrow in *The Wiz* (a version of *The Wizard of Oz*), and as *Captain EO* in Disneyland’s 3-D movie. He also guest-starred on the TV series, “Welcome Back, Kotter.”

17.

These days, Michael’s working on a book of thoughts and poetry. He also formed a film company so he can produce, write and star in movies. He’s already written one movie script which is said to be “pretty good.”





Michael's mom, Katherine, played the clarinet, piano and guitar and is a singer. Michael believes he got his ability to sing from her.

23.

Michael loses about 10 pounds of water weight during his performances on tour.

24.

Michael's concert tour for his last album, *Dangerous*, is probably the biggest stage show ever. He needed 51 trucks just to haul all the stuff around.

25.

Everyone knows that *Thriller* is the biggest selling album of all time, but not many people know that *Bad* is the second biggest. It was the number one record in 25 countries, including Norway, Portugal, Greece and New Zealand. (Over four million people saw the *Bad* tour.) And "We Are the World," which Michael co-wrote, is the number one selling single of all time.

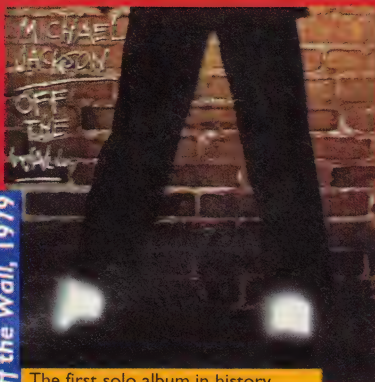
Around the Ranch

Michael loves animals. He brought Jessie, his chimpanzee, and Jerry, his orangutan, to our D.A. photo shoot. (Michael's well-known chimp pal, Bubbles, lives on his ranch part-time.) Over the years, his pets have included:

- a ram named Mr. Tibbs
- Muscles the snake
- a parrot named Ricky
- two deer named Prince and Princess
- two llamas named Louis and Lola
- giraffes
- zebras
- two pairs of black swans

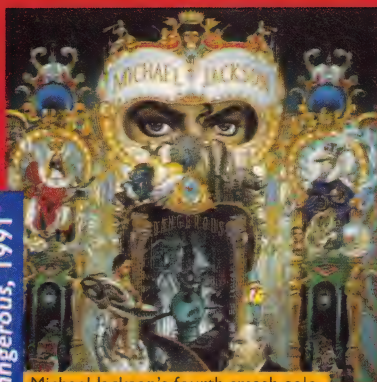
Michael also has a collection of exotic birds, including a macaw, a cockatoo, peacocks and a giant rhea—the second largest bird in the world, after the ostrich. He also has lots of cats.





Off the Wall, 1979

The first solo album in history to have four Top Ten singles.



Dangerous, 1991

Michael Jackson's fourth smash solo album. Will it be a record breaker?



Thriller, 1982

The first album ever to have seven Top Ten singles.



Bad, 1987

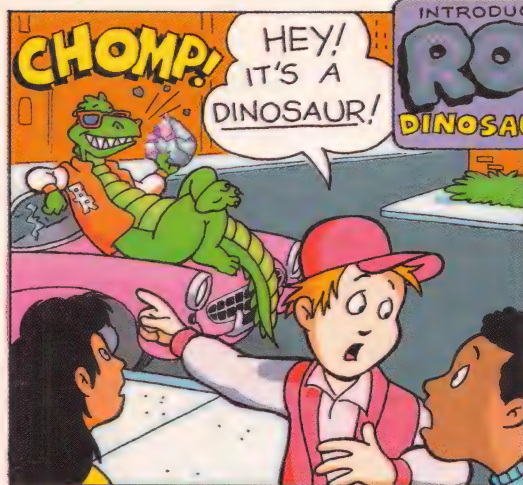
The only album in history to have five Number One singles.

The Hitmeister

Michael Jackson's NUMBER ONE HIT SINGLES

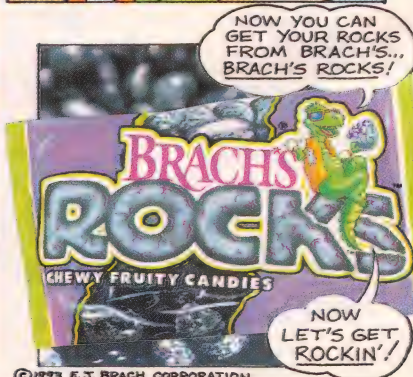
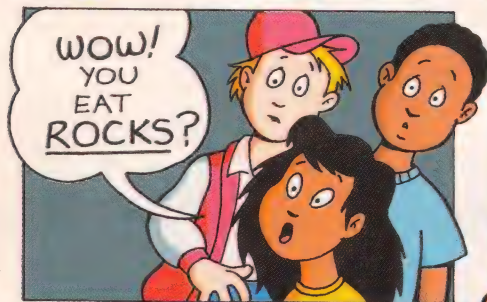
Song	Year
"I Want You Back"	1970
"ABC"	1970
"The Love You Save"	1970
"I'll Be There"	1970
"Ben"	1972
"Don't Stop Till You Get Enough"	1979
"Rock With You"	1979
"Say Say Say"	1983
"Billie Jean"	1983
"Beat It"	1983
"I Just Can't Stop Loving You"	1986
"The Way You Make Me Feel"	1987
"Bad"	1987
"Man in the Mirror"	1988
"Dirty Diana"	1988
"Black Or White"	1991

*with his brothers



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Amusement Park Rides



THINK
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TOUGH? TRY
ON THESE
AWESOME
AMUSEMENT
PARK RIDES,
SOME OF
THE WILDEST
AND
WOOLLIEST
IN THE
COUNTRY.

we dare you!

This is the only
Ferris wheel of its kind
in the world, and maybe
that's a good thing. The
gondolas slide back and forth
while the wheel goes round,
so you feel like you're about
to be dumped out—130
feet above the
beach!

The Wonder Wheel,
Deno's Wonder Wheel Park, Brooklyn, NY

**The Break Dance,
Astroland,
Brooklyn, NY**

As your car spins, you get a great I-could-hurl-any-minute sensation. You also get to listen to a "rapperator"—the rapping ride operator.

**The Loeff Carousel,
Santa Cruz
Beach Boardwalk,
Santa Cruz, CA**

This isn't just another merry-go-round. When you climb on board this carousel, you have to strap yourself on the horse because the ride moves—fast!

**The Mountain
Slidewinder,
Dollywood,
Pigeon Forge, TN**

Your boat enters a dark, fog-filled tunnel. As you shoot out of the tunnel at 25 mph, you'll get a quick bird's-eye view of the park before plummeting down a 30-foot drop.

**The Rattler,
Fiesta Texas,
San Antonio, TX**

You're going faster than 70 mph as you hit the bottom of this roller coaster's record-setting 166-foot, 4.5-inch drop.

**Splash Mountain,
Walt Disney World,
Lake Buena Vista, FL**

This is the longest log-flume ride in the world and it ends with a five-story, 40-mph plunge into a fog-filled cave. Totally wet!

**The Wave,
Valleyfair,
Shakopee, MN**

Your boat splashes over a cliff and down a 50-foot drop. Bring towels.

Biking Boarding



Get outta my way!

Now that the snow's melted and summer's here, mountain biking is ready to hit the ski slopes. Here's the deal: Ski resorts give you a map with signed dirt roads and trails. You just jump on a ski lift that's been equipped with bike racks, ride to the mountain top, and take off down slopes with names like Kamikaze Downhill, Over the Bars, Chains Required, Break Through, Follow Me and Off the Top.



Grab a snowboard, slap four big wheels on it and toss yourself down the side of a mountain! It's the ultimate crossover sport: skateboarding down ski trails.

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space museum.

**Yosemite
Institute
Sierran
Summer**
P.O. Box 487

Yosemite
National Park,
CA 95389
12 to 18 years old
To do: Geology,
botany, astronomy,
orienteering and a
backpacking trip in
Yosemite.

**McCormick
Water Ski
School & Camp**

McCormick Lakes
Seffner, FL 33584
8 to 19 years old
To do: Water ski and
take weekend field trips to
Disney World, Cypress
Gardens and Sea World.

**Culver
Specialty Camps**
Culver, IN 46511

11 to 16 years old
To do: Choose
a two-week
specialty camp in
hockey, gymnastics,
golf, tennis, soccer,
aviation, sailing,
scuba diving,
rowing or computers.

Ballibay
Box P
Camptown, PA 18815

6 to 16 years old
To do: Theater, fine
arts, dance and music
programs.

**Summer camp
isn't just campfires
and canoeing lessons.
Check out these camps
from around the
country.**

Ocean

Voyages Institute
1709 Bridgeway
Sausalito, CA 94965

10 and older
To do: Sailing, natural
history, navigation and
marine biology.

Premier

Computer Camp
Goshen Street
Jewett, NY 12444

7 to 17 years old
To do: Computer
classes and labs, plus
sports.

United States

Space Camp
The Space &
Rocket Center,
Tranquility Base,
Huntsville, AL 35807

11 to 16 years old
To do: Astronaut



Drive-In



Five hundred cars, a 100-foot screen and your own personal sound system. That's what you get at your nearest movie theater under the stars. So load up the car with blankets and junk food, talk mom or

dad into driving and head down to the local drive-in.

MOVIE BUFF TIP

Get there at dusk to score the best parking spaces.

All-Star Fan Fest
July 9-13
Baltimore
Convention Center
Baltimore, MD

If you're crazy for baseball, this convention is the place to be. Get your picture on your own baseball card, collect autographs from all-time baseball greats or step into a video batting cage that lets you bat against a pitching star. There's also a trading-card show and cool

exhibits from the Baseball Hall of Fame.

Movies

THE
GAME

EAT EAT EAT EAT

**THE HOTTEST
DAYS RECORDED IN THESE
CITIES IN DEGREES
FAHRENHEIT**

113

Dallas, TX

110

Los Angeles, CA

107

St. Louis, MO

106

San Francisco, CA

106

New York, NY

104

Philadelphia, PA

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Chicago, IL

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Seattle, WA

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Miami, FL

90

Juneau, AK

**THE HOTTEST DAY EVER
RECORDED IN THE UNITED
STATES: 134 degrees F
in Death Valley, CA,
on July 10, 1913.**

**THE HOTTEST DAY EVER
RECORDED IN THE
WORLD: 136.4
degrees F in
Al'Aziziyah, Libya,
on September 13,
1922.**

How'd you like an ice cream sundae made of rainbow sherbert, Trix cereal and real octopus ink? Sounds weird, but that was last year's winner in the **Creative Ice Cream Flavor**

ICE



Contest, held July 1

through 28 by a Chicago ice cream parlor. ■ To enter,

just come up with your wackiest ice cream

concoction and send it (the recipe, not the cone)

to the judges. If you win, you'll get 365 scoops

of ice cream.

CREAM

Some past fun flavors included Chicago Blues (with blueberries and cashews), Chocolate Sweet Potato and Peachberry Rhubarb.

■ For an entry form, write to: **Cool Temptations**, 2808 N. Halsted, Chicago, IL 60657.

HOT



July 4





Summer Solstice,

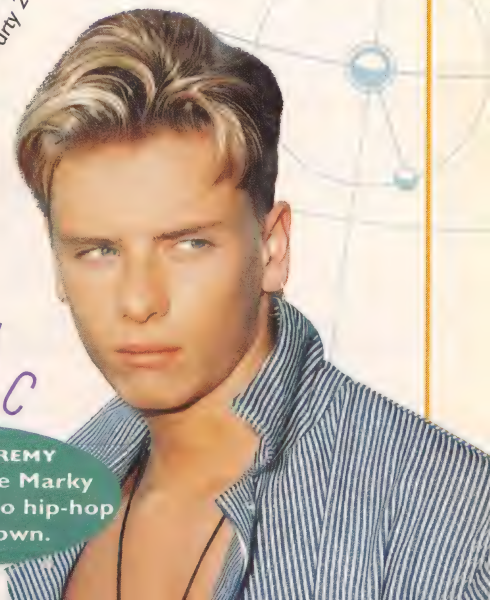
June 21 It's the official first day of summer, but you've probably already found your way to a swimming pool. At 5 a.m. EST, the sun will be at its most northern position for the year. So those of us in the Northern Hemisphere get the most daylight hours on this day. If you live on the Queen Elizabeth Islands in Canada, you're so far north that the sun won't go down for 24 hours!

Light

Your favorite bands are hitting the road this summer. Maybe they'll tour near you.... **AEROSMITH**, dude! This hard-rockin' band can't wait to walk your way.... **NELSON**, And **JADE**, those too cold R&B soul sistahs, will be live and in person, singing their hit "Now You Want More" from the House Party 2 soundtrack.

MUSIC

Look for **JEREMY** "I Wish I Were Marky Mark" **JORDAN** to hip-hop into your town.



LUNAR ECLIPSE, JUNE 4 The moon will pass through the Earth's shadow, but it won't completely disappear; it will just turn reddish. Take a good look—this is the only total lunar eclipse this year. Best viewing spots: the West Coast and Hawaii.

NIGHT



**ARE SUMMER BUGS
BUGGING YOU? THERE ARE
LOTS OF 'EM, FOR SURE!
HERE'S THE BUZZ ON BUGS:**

Most summer bugs don't live long after Labor Day, but **CICADAS** can live up to 17 years!

When it's chow time, **DRAGONFLIES** look for flies: One dragonfly ate 40 houseflies in less than two hours. Serious Alka-Seltzer time.

The World's Biggest Jell-O

Mold: On February 5, 1981 (when it's summer Down Under), some Aussies filled a tank with 7,700 gallons of watermelon Jell-O in Brisbane, Australia.

The World's Biggest

Ant: Brazil's *Dinoponera australis* measures more than an inch long.

This is the *Paraponera clavata*, which is from the same part of the world as the *Dinoponera australis* ant.

pic

SKIES

PERSEID METEOR SHOWERS, JULY 23 — AUGUST 20

Time to wish upon the 50 to 100 "shooting stars" that will appear for 29 nights. The shooting stars are actually meteoroids—pieces of comets that burn up as they enter our atmosphere. Best viewing nights: August 12 and 13, after 1 a.m.

When the **KATYDID** makes noise, it sounds like it's saying, "Katy did, Katy did." The higher the temperature, the more rapid the katydid's calls.

Before electricity, Chinese scholars used **GLOWWORMS** to read books at night.

Most **BUTTERFLIES** love sunlight so much that they refuse to fly when it's overcast.

The World's Biggest Ice Cream Sundae:

A 54,915-pound sundae was scooped up in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, on July 24, 1988. You'd need an 18-wheeler to get that one home.

The World's Biggest Burger:

A 5,520-pound patty (about the size of a small elephant) sizzled in Seymour, Wisconsin, on August 5, 1989.

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Going on a trip usually starts with mom or dad getting behind the wheel. Here's what they've been driving for the last 150 years.



COVERED WAGON
1840

are we there yet?

AUSTIN TEN
1936

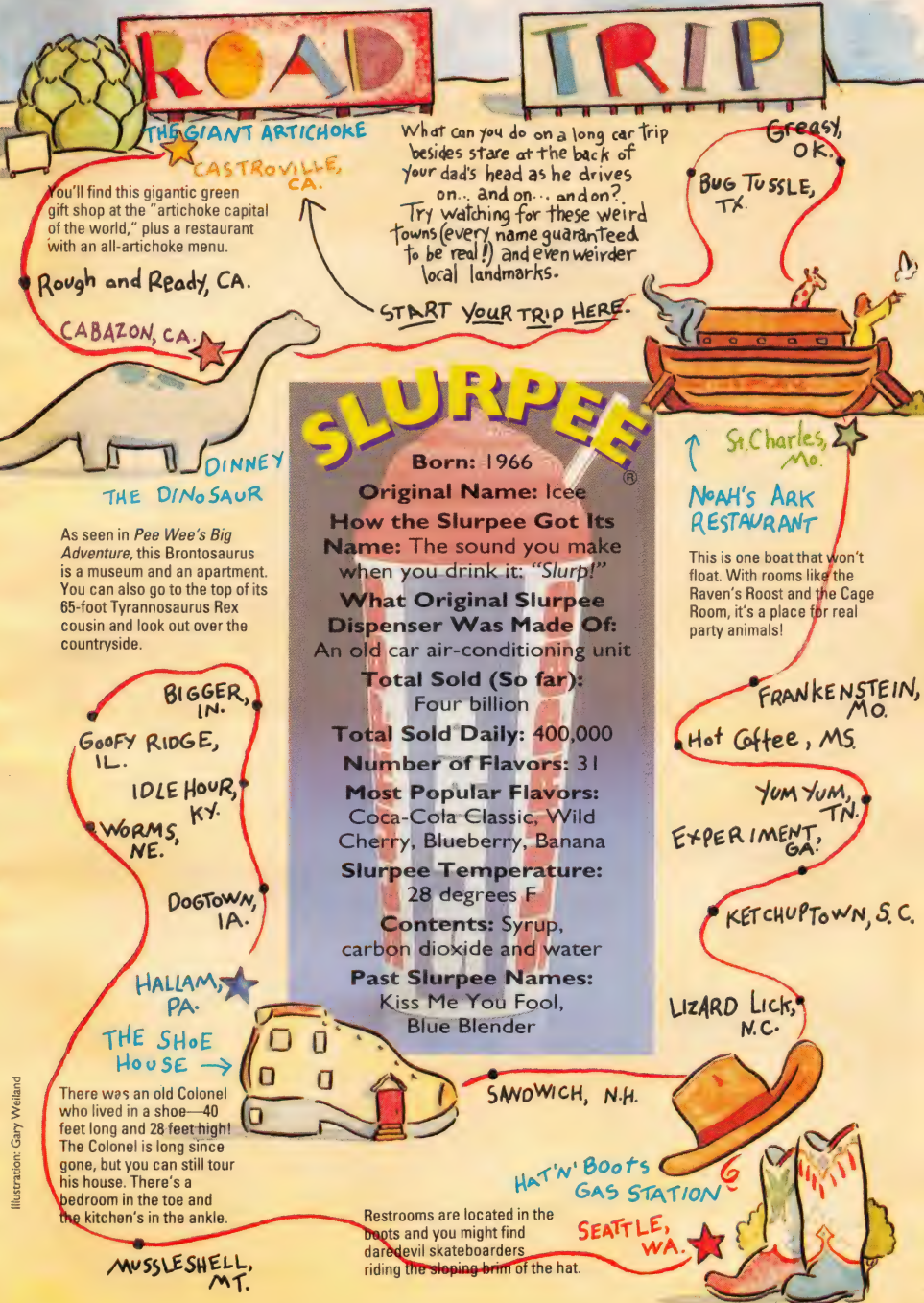


STATION WAGON
1950



MINIVAN
1993







Towel

Underwater

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Junky souvenirs:
Don't go home without one.



At **RAGING WATERS** in San Dimas, CA, plunge down a seven-story slide in four seconds, speed down at 100-foot tunnel at 25 mph or plummet through complete darkness to a pool below.

Catch some rad waves at **TYPHOON LAGOON** in Lake Buena Vista, FL. It has

the world's largest inland surfing lagoon with

the world's largest man-made waves. Then jump into Shark Reef, a huge saltwater pool, and snorkel limb-to-fin with sharks! (Little ones.)

There's only one theme park in the world with a real river for tubing (plus other

great water rides):

SCHLITTERBAHN RESORTS AND WATERPARK in New Braunfels, TX.

Check out The Typhoon, one of the world's longest dual speed slides, at **OCEANS OF FUN** in Kansas City, MO. Or grab 19 of your closest friends for a boat

WATER

ride that includes a face-to-face encounter with a 40-foot wave.

You'll find **WET 'N WILD WATERPARKS** in Orlando, FL; Arlington and Garland, TX; and Las Vegas, NV. Try the new ride called the Bomb Bay—you drop 76 feet in just two seconds!



X-citing

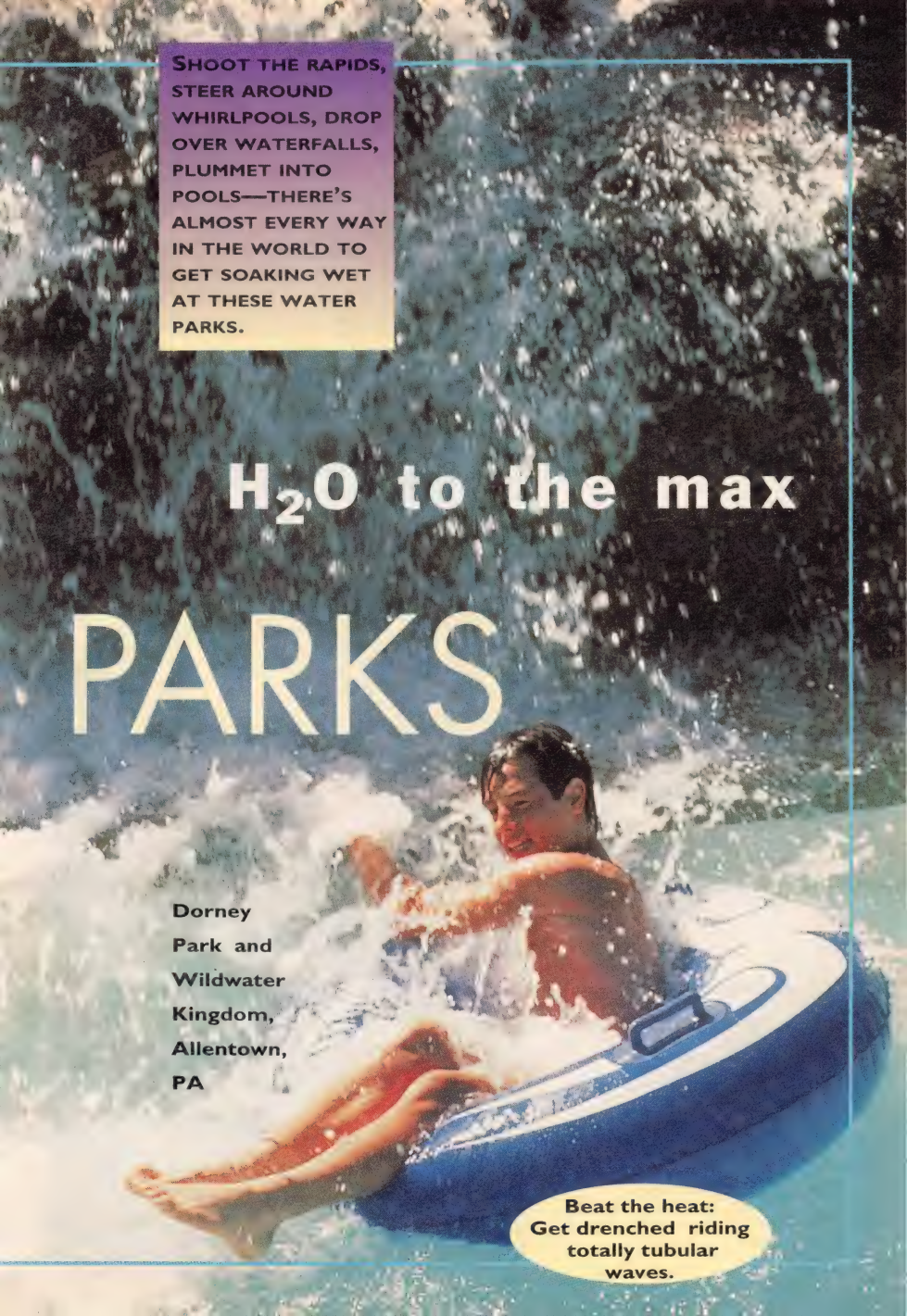
YELLOW



Zzz



Illustrations: Chris Schnabel

A photograph of a person tubing down a river. The person is lying on their back in a blue and white inflatable tube, splashing through white water rapids. The background is a dense forest with green foliage. The overall scene is dynamic and energetic, emphasizing the thrill of the activity.

**SHOOT THE RAPIDS,
STEER AROUND
WHIRLPOOLS, DROP
OVER WATERFALLS,
PLUMMET INTO
POOLS—THERE'S
ALMOST EVERY WAY
IN THE WORLD TO
GET SOAKING WET
AT THESE WATER
PARKS.**

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Kingdom,
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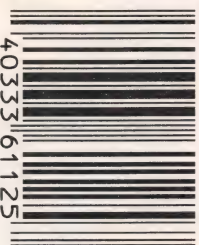
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Ryne "Ryno"

Sandberg is tops in his field—the baseball field. The Chicago Cubs' stellar second baseman has numbers so good, he's been the National League's leading vote-getter for the All-Star game for three straight years.

With a glove on his hand, he's a fielding machine. His lifetime fielding percentage is .990 (a major-league record for his position), which means you could hit him 100 grounders and he'd only miss one. He once played 123 consecutive games without an error!

He's not bad at the plate, either. During his career he's hit 231 home runs and had 836 RBIs, with a batting average of .289.

Is there anything this guy can't do? Yeah: beat his 8-year-old son, Justin at the Ryne Sandberg Baseball Loaded 3 Nintendo game. "Justin is

a little bit quicker than me," he laughs. "He's hard to beat."

**BEST
Moves**

hot fielding tips from

Ryne Sandberg

Have you watched a great game and wondered how the star players make their moves? Well, D.A. decided to track down the best athletes and ask them ourselves. Up first: Baseball's Ryne Sandberg.

catching grounders



Ryne's advice is: Be aggressive—especially if you're playing on a bumpy natural surface (like Chicago's Wrigley Field). "On grounders that are between hops," he says, "I like to reach out and grab the ball as soon as it bounces to cut down the chance of a bad hop."

Ryne's trick is to put his throwing hand on top of the glove instead of alongside. "It increases the area where I can catch the ball," he says. "I've caught grounders with my bare hand. Sometimes I use the hand to knock them back in the glove." When he holds his hands like this, Ryne looks like a quarterback taking a snap.

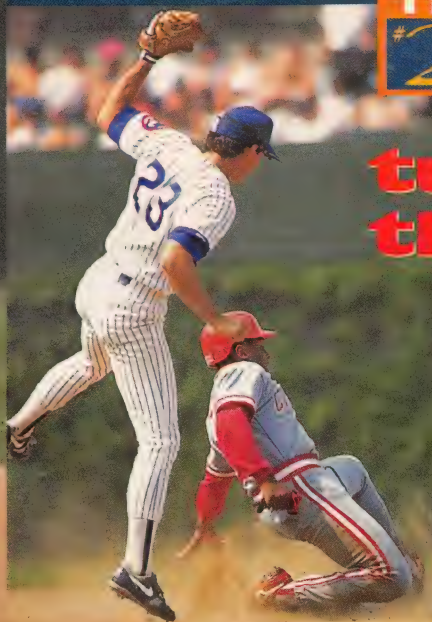
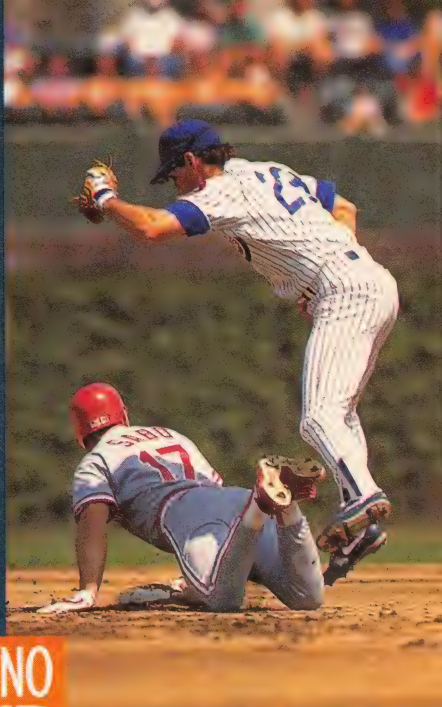


Ryne told us that the key to turning the pivot—taking the throw at second, tagging the base and throwing to first—is “catching the ball and getting rid of it in a quick motion.” His suggestion: “Use a little bit smaller glove so you can find the ball in the glove and get rid of it quicker.”

“One of the most important things on turning double plays,” he adds, “is never to have your spikes planted in the ground when you get hit by a sliding runner. That’s when injuries occur. If you get in the habit of catching, throwing and *jumping*—one right after another—you’re less likely to get hurt.” —Bob Daily

RYNO
TIP
#2

turning
the pivot



The
32 Club

Some people say the number 32 is the world's most famous number, because some of the most ultimate sports stars have called it their own.

King of the Strikeouts **Sandy Koufax** did his number proud when he pitched a record 23 strikeouts in four World Series games in 1963.

In the mid '70s, all anyone ever saw of **O.J. Simpson**—and his number—was when he sailed down the football field, breaking almost every rushing record in the book at the time.

When he wore the famous number, basketball great **Julius "Dr. J" Erving** racked up a mind-boggling 30,026 points in his cool career—enough to make him one of the top five greatest scorers.

Whether he was flying through the air for an assist or winning a gold medal with the Dream Team, the greatest of numbers was worn by the greatest of players: **Magic Johnson**.

This is only his rookie year, but legend-in-the-making **Shaquille O'Neal** has added to the 32 shine as the first rookie voted to start at the All-Star game since Michael Jordan in '85.

—Allison Lassieur





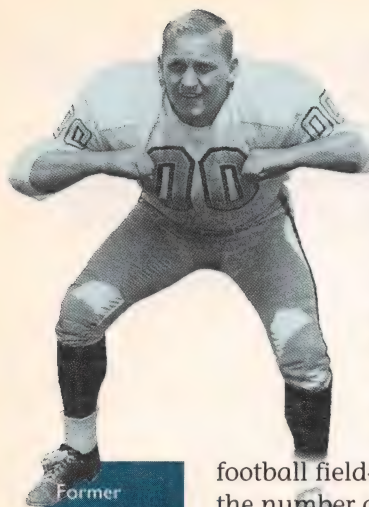
sports by numbers

When you're watching your favorite team wipe the field with the opposition, how do you know who makes the great plays and the fabulous saves? Jersey numbers, of course! Ever since 1908, when the first number appeared on a football shirt, numbers have been a big part of sports.

In the early days of baseball, players weren't allowed to pick their own number—their batting order picked it for them. That's how megalegends Babe Ruth, who batted third, got his famous Number 3 and Lou Gehrig (batting cleanup) got Number 4. Way later, in 1960, the Chicago White Sox put numbers on the backs *and* fronts of their uniforms—now

One to watch:

How would you like to be the only college player on the Dream Team? **Christian Laettner**, NBA rookie (the Minnesota Timberwolves) and wearer of *the* number, wasn't fazed. The Big Question: Will he be true to Number 32?



Former center Jim Otto, aka 00 (above). Chris Bahr (right) liked Number 10 so much that he wouldn't sell it to a fellow player—even for \$5,000!

everyone does.

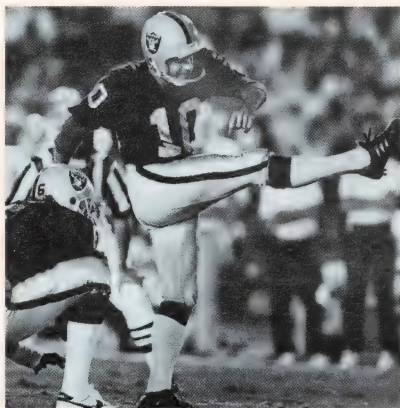
When hockey players started wearing numbers they got to pick their own, but no one wanted anything above 15. For some reason, the higher numbers were reserved for the bench warmers, assistant goalies and other lower-level team members.

Sometimes players wear numbers that have special meanings in their sport. Lots of football field-goal kickers wear Number 3—the number of points they'll score with a good kick.

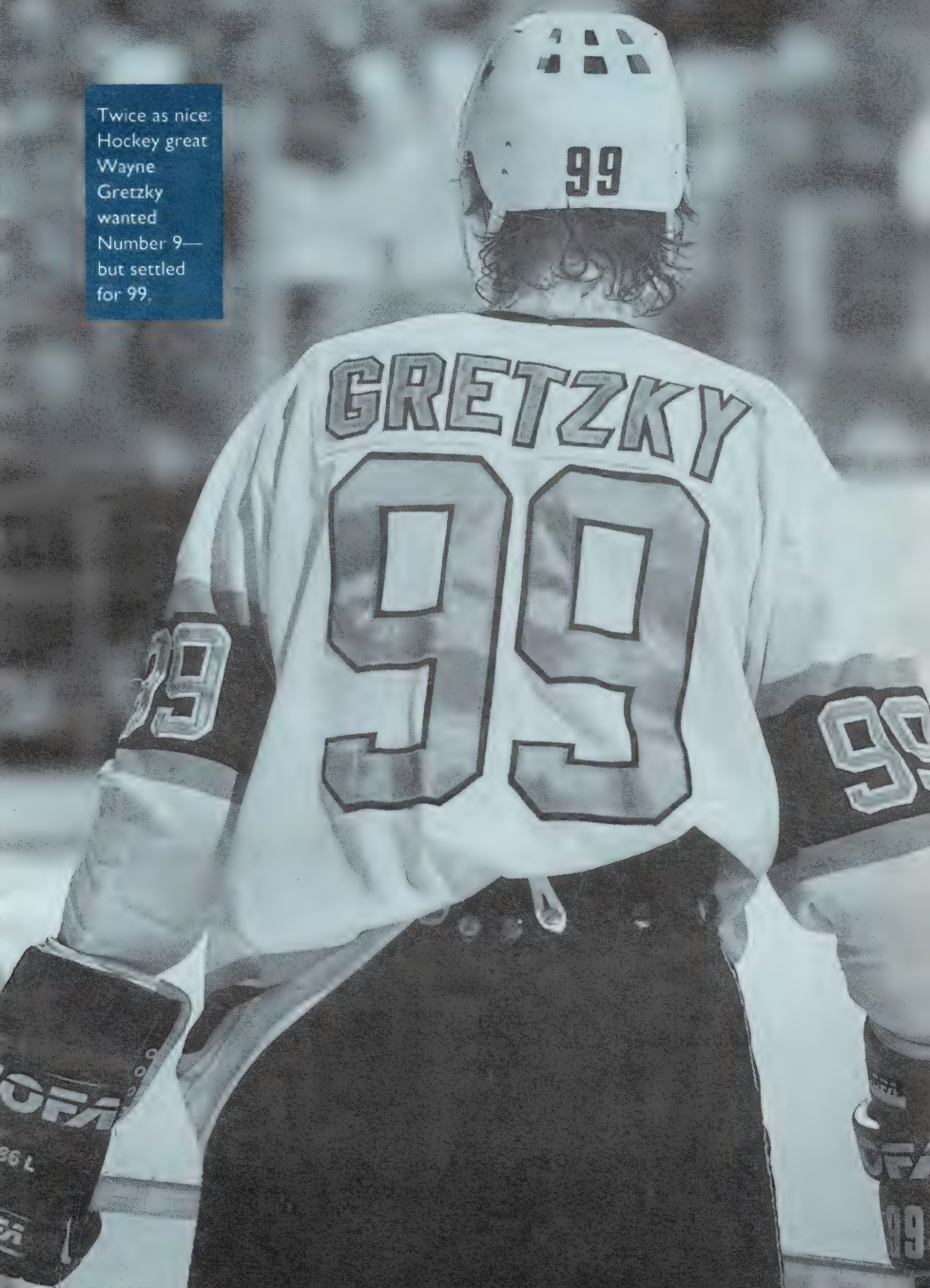
One football player, former Oakland Raiders center Jim Otto, picked 00 because it reminded fans of his name. When Wayne Gretzky started his hockey career, he *really* wanted Number 9, the same number as his idol Gordie

Howe, but another player already had it. So Gretzky picked 99, and he's had it ever since.

Sometimes athletes like their numbers so much they'd pay to keep them. In 1984, when Brad Van Pelt joined the Los Angeles Raiders, fellow Raider Chris Bahr already wore Number 10—the number Van Pelt had as both a New York Giant and a college player. Van Pelt didn't want to give it up, so he offered Bahr \$5,000 to let him have the number—but Bahr turned him down. —Ron King



Twice as nice:
Hockey great
Wayne
Gretzky
wanted
Number 9—
but settled
for 99.




JOE ROCKET

Master of All Knowledge

and his sidekick

MC



Hey.

The other day, we were hangin' in the A-ZONE when a telegram came over Chip's homemade telegraph. It was marked *Urgent*:

Hey Joe Stop Did you ever
pick a name for Chip's dog
Stop What's the deal Stop
Samantha Boothby, 10
Pasadena, California

Good question, Samantha. We got tons of great suggestions and it was really tough to pick just one. Before I tell you the winner, here are some that came close:

Byte (as in computer byte)—Loreno Bravo, Azusa, California
Kaleidoscope (because it's "fun, kind of scientific and female enough!")—Kelley Drake, Sherman, Connecticut
Dale ("Chip 'n Dale")—Thea Schlendorf, Wyckoff, New Jersey, and Shannon Zwolinski, Middlefield, Ohio

Chili (because it combines the first letters of Chip and Lizzie's names)—Kathryn Jennings, Pawcatuck, Connecticut

And now, the winner and our all-time fave is...(drumroll, please)...**Dip!** As in Chip and Dip. Get it? Thanks and congratulations go to Saif Jafri, West Covina, California.

You can write to:

Joe Rocket, Master of All Knowledge
DISNEY ADVENTURES
500 South Buena Vista Street
Burbank, California, 91521-6018.

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ow do stars form and why do they light up?

**Benito Lugo, 12
Edgerton, Wisconsin**

It's like this: A star begins as a vast cloud of interstellar ("between star") gas and dust. Over millions of years, gravity pulls the gas and dust cloud closer and closer together into a ball. Meanwhile, the gas at the center gets hotter and hotter. When the temperature in the middle reaches a cool 2 million degrees Fahrenheit—boom!—nuclear fusion occurs. (That's when the center gas starts to burn.)

The nuclear energy lights up the gas surrounding the center, the gas ball starts shining and a *star is born!* When the gas burns out, the star is gone.

Don't worry about your favorite star burning out soon—that takes billions of years, since stars are so

incredibly huge.

Oh, here's some other cool stuff MC² told me about stars:

★ The sun is only a medium-sized star. But it's about 100 times bigger in diameter than the Earth.

★ Stars can be blue, white, yellow, orange or red, depending on how big and hot they are. The biggest, hottest stars are blue. The smallest, coolest ones are red. The sun, medium-hot, is yellow.

Why don't evergreens ever lose their needles?

**Lauren Fink, 11
Egan, Minnesota**

Some evergreens—like pine, fir, spruce and cypress trees—have thin, needle-shaped leaves. They can fight cold weather because their leaves are so small.

Magnolia trees, holly, ivy and myrtle are evergreens, too, but they have wide, flat leaves. It's these leaves' tough, leathery texture that enables them to keep their leaves in winter.

Evergreens' leaves do fall off, eventually. But new leaves form before the old ones die, so there's never a time when the trees or shrubs are bare or brown.

Well, that's it for now. Next month I'll write about why soda fizzes. 'Til then, *play hard and think deep.*



DARKWING DUCK

SOMEWHERE
IN DOWNTOWN
ST. CANARD...

"WATTS THE PROBLEM!"

PART 1

**"ALL PLUGGED IN AND
NOWHERE TO FLOW!"**

I GOT YOUR
MESSAGE.
OK, I'M HERE.
SO WHAT'S
THE DEAL?

THE DEAL,
MEGAVOLT, IS
SIMPLE--I CAN
CHANGE YOUR
LIFE. I CAN
MAKE YOU MORE
POWERFUL THAN
YOU'VE EVER BEEN
BEFORE. I CAN,
IN PLAIN
TERMS--

--CONVERT
YOU!

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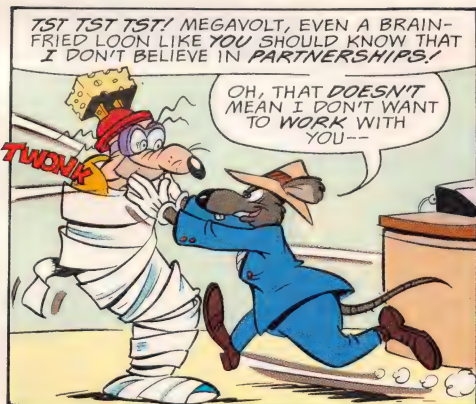
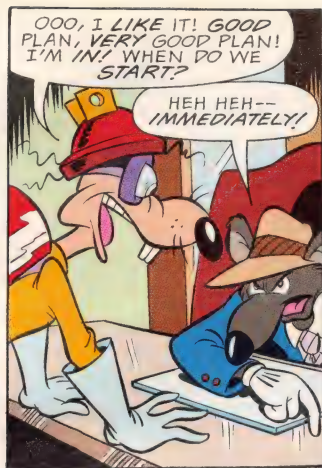
CONVERT?
WHAT ARE YOU
TALKING
ABOUT?!

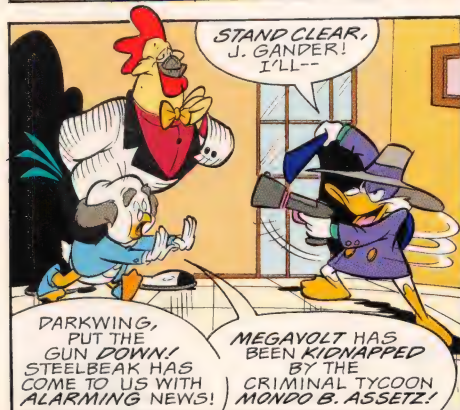
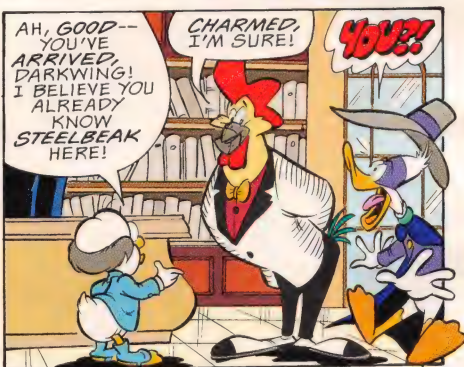
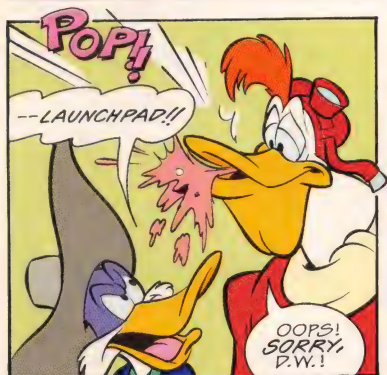
I'M TALKING ABOUT MAKING YOU THE MOST
POWERFUL BEING ON EARTH! ALL I ASK
IN RETURN IS THAT YOU HELP ME WITH A...
SMALL MATTER.

YOU SEE, IF MY EXPERIMENT
IS SUCCESSFUL, YOU'LL BE
ALL THE HELP I NEED--

--TO
OVERTHROW
F.O.W.L.-!!

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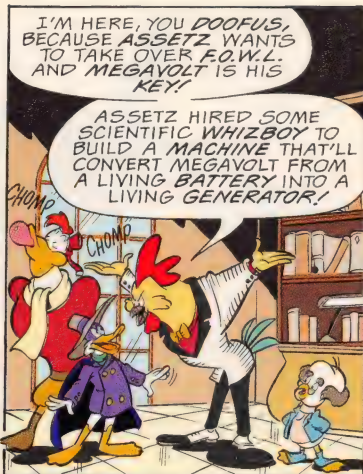






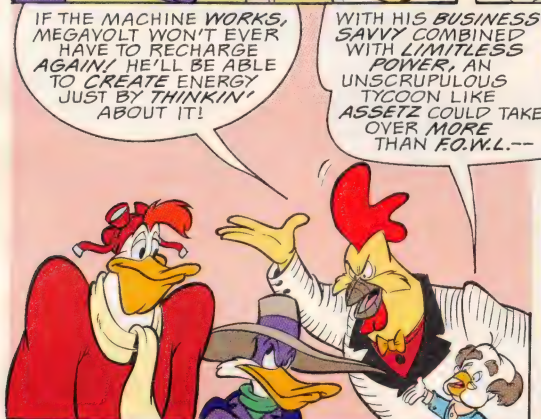
LET ME GET THIS STRAIGHT-- THE BAD GUYS HAVE COME TO THE GOOD GUYS TO GET HELP SAVING A BAD GUY FROM A BAD GUY?!

WHO'S HE SUPPOSED TO BE-- SPOKESMAN FOR THE MONOSYLLABIC MORONS CLUB OR SOMETHING?



I'M HERE, YOU DOOFUS, BECAUSE ASSETZ WANTS TO TAKE OVER F.O.W.L. AND MEGAVOLT IS HIS KEY!

ASSETZ HIRED SOME SCIENTIFIC WHIZBOY TO BUILD A MACHINE THAT'LL CONVERT MEGAVOLT FROM A LIVING BATTERY INTO A LIVING GENERATOR!



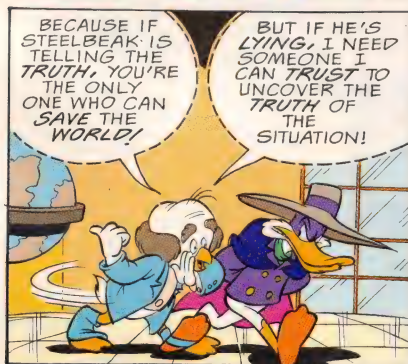
IF THE MACHINE WORKS, MEGAVOLT WON'T EVER HAVE TO RECHARGE AGAIN! HE'LL BE ABLE TO CREATE ENERGY JUST BY THINKIN' ABOUT IT!

WITH HIS BUSINESS SAVVY COMBINED WITH LIMITLESS POWER, AN UNSCRUPULOUS TYCOON LIKE ASSETZ COULD TAKE OVER MORE THAN F.O.W.L.--



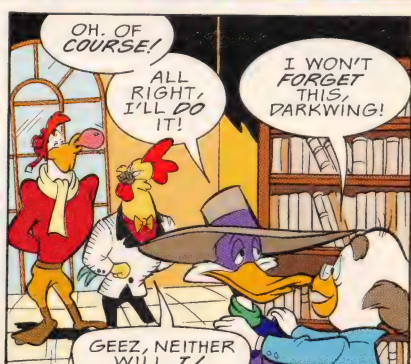
-- HE COULD TAKE OVER THE WORLD!

BUT WHY SHOULD F.O.W.L. NEED OUR HELP? AND WHY SHOULD I COOPERATE WITH A CREEP LIKE METAL MOUTH OVER THERE?



BECAUSE IF STEELBEAK IS TELLING THE TRUTH, YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN SAVE THE WORLD!

BUT IF HE'S LYING, I NEED SOMEONE I CAN TRUST TO UNCOVER THE TRUTH OF THE SITUATION!

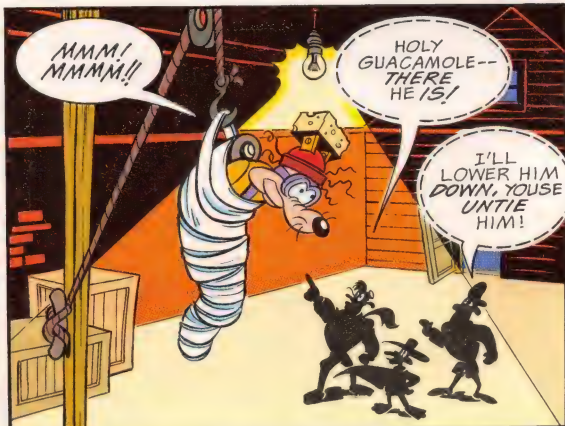
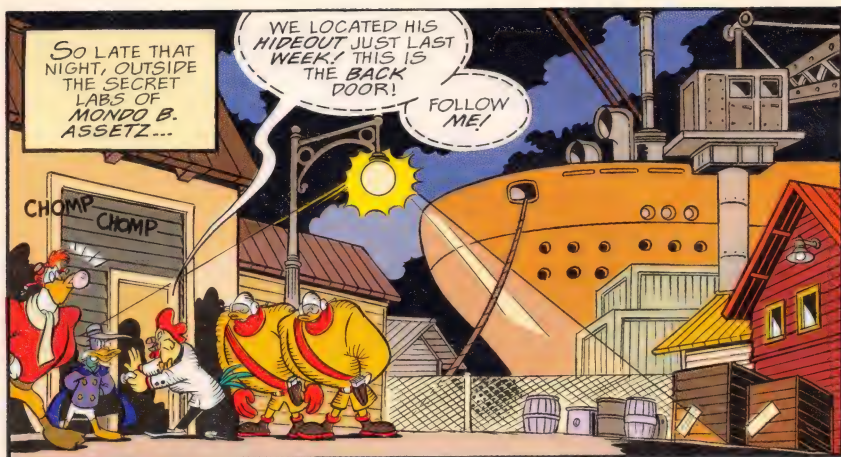


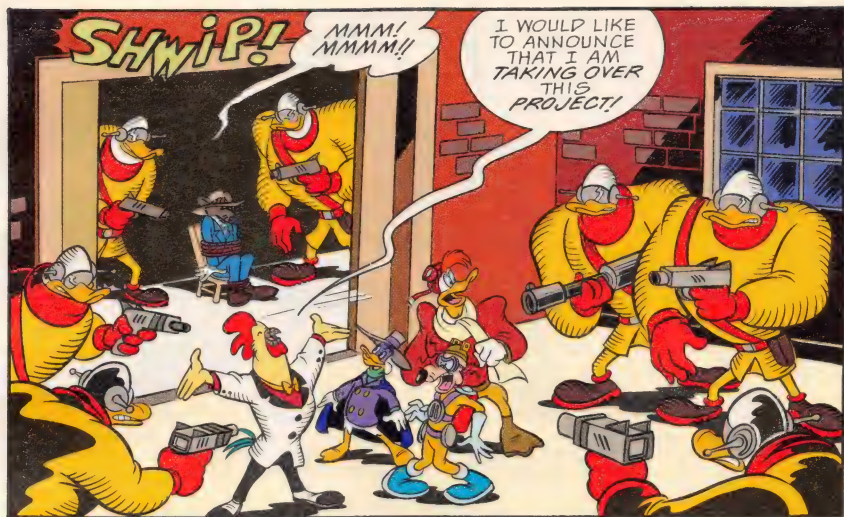
OH, OF COURSE!

ALL RIGHT, I'LL DO IT!

I WON'T FORGET THIS, DARKWING!

GEEZ, NEITHER WILL I!



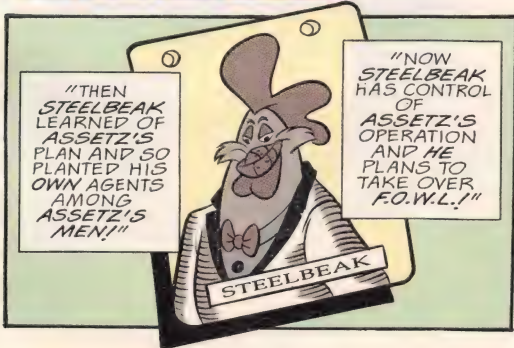


"F.O.W.L. MUST HAVE BEEN LOOKING FOR A WAY TO CONVERT MEGAVOLT FOR YEARS! THEY WOULD HAVE BEEN THE FIRST TO SEE HIS POTENTIAL!"

"ALL ALONG THEY'VE BEEN PLANNING TO USE HIM TO TAKE OVER THE WORLD!"



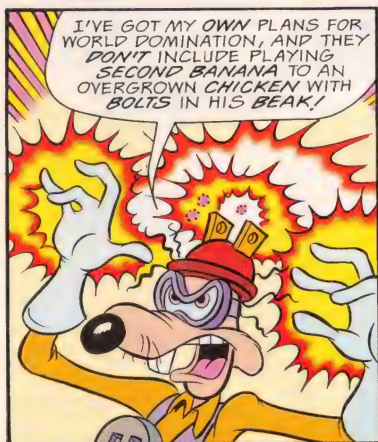
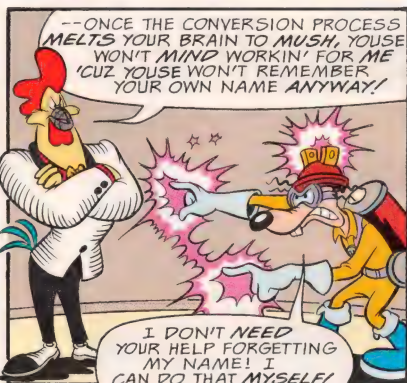
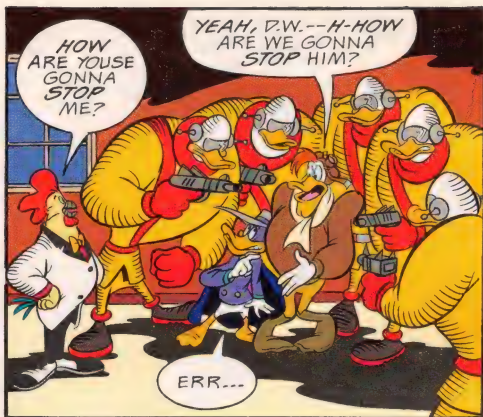
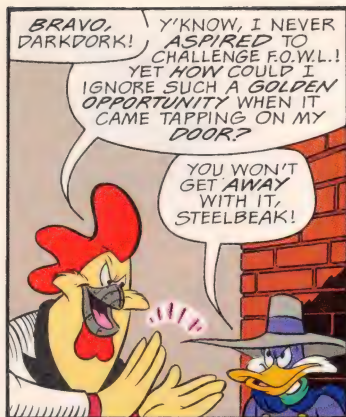
"BUT ASSETZ LEARNED OF THE IDEA AND DEVELOPED THE CONVERSION MACHINE FIRST SO THAT HE COULD TAKE OVER F.O.W.L. AND THE WORLD HIMSELF!"

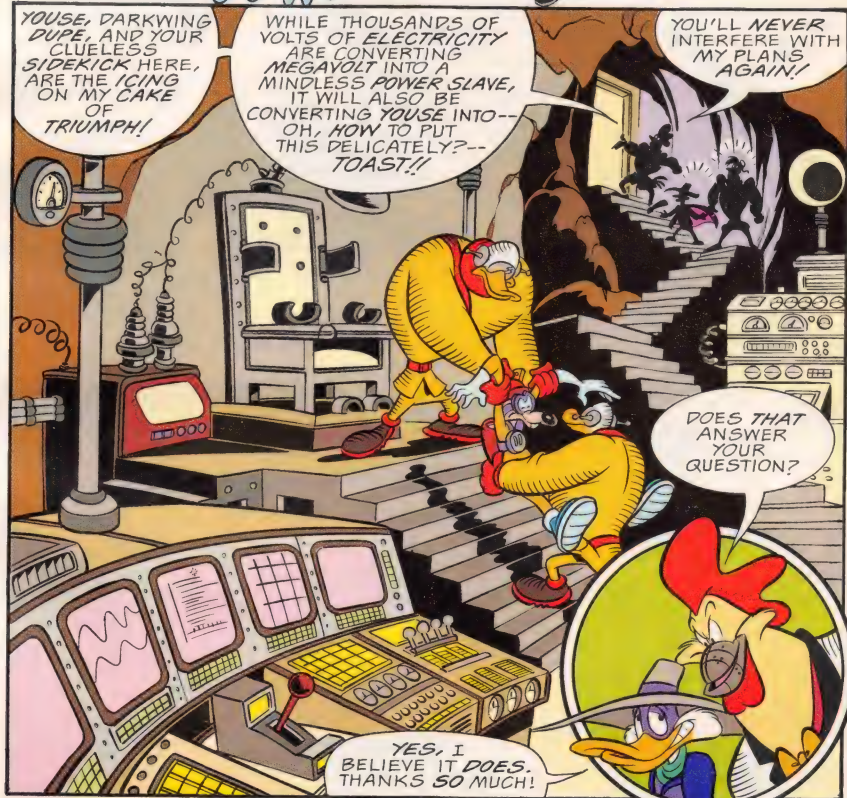
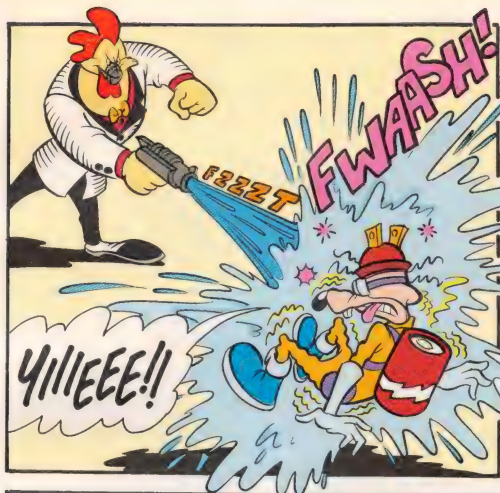


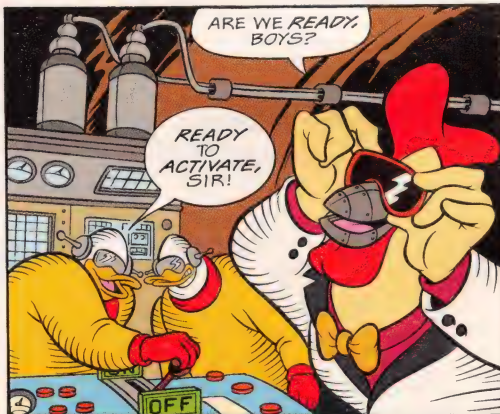
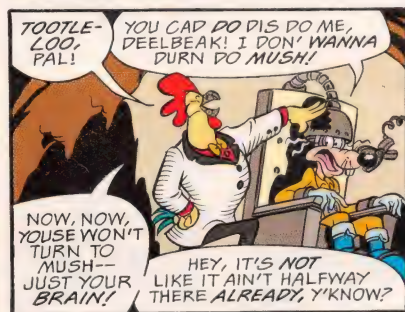
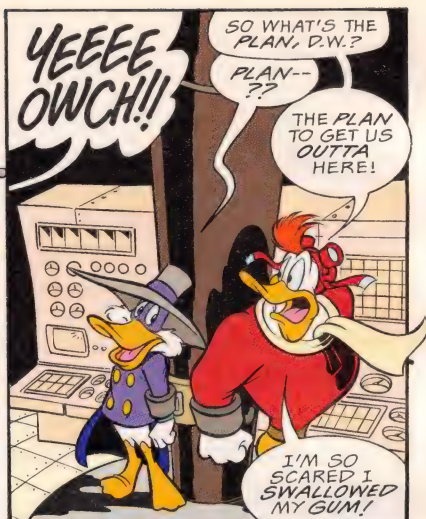
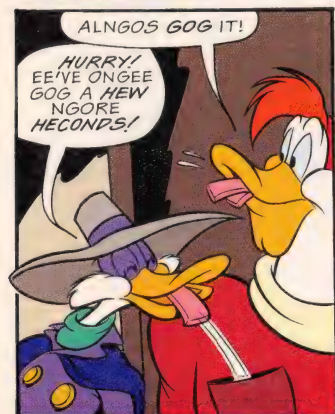
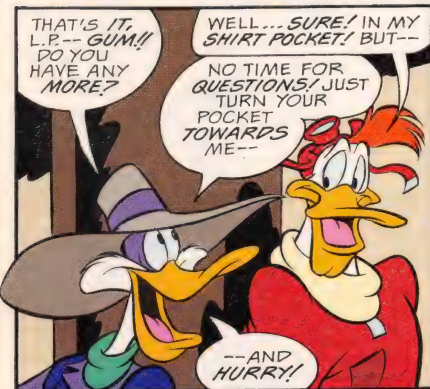
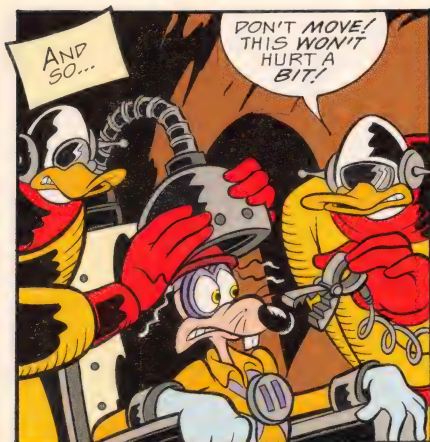
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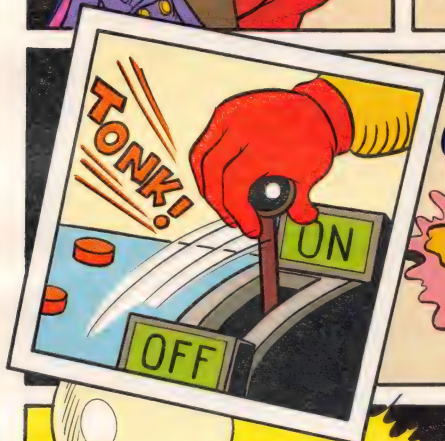
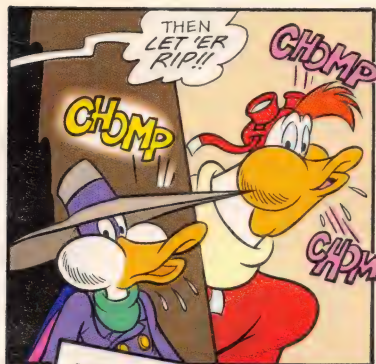
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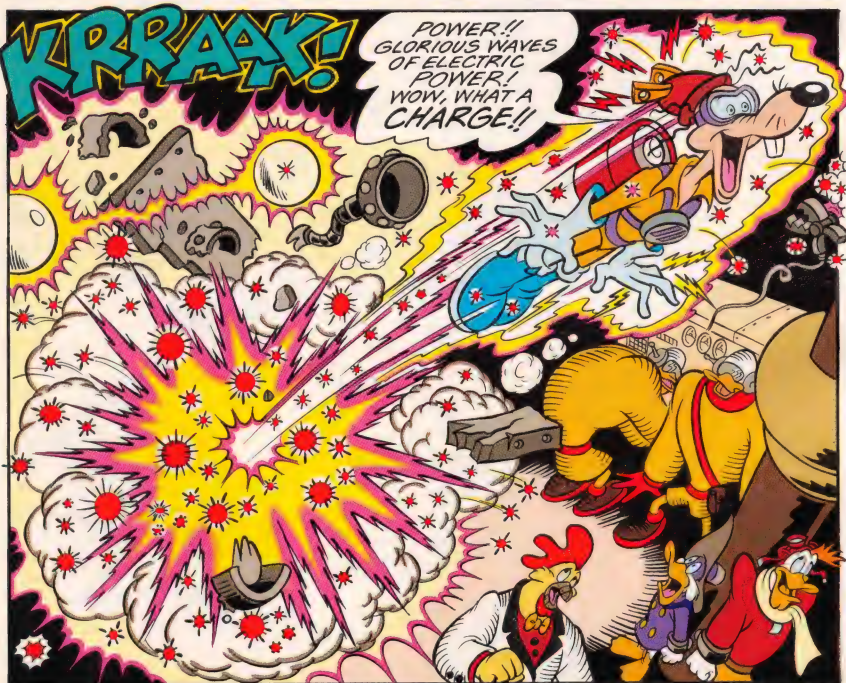


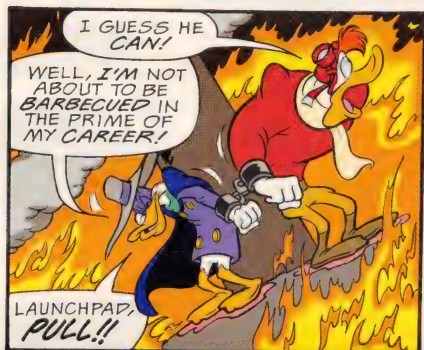
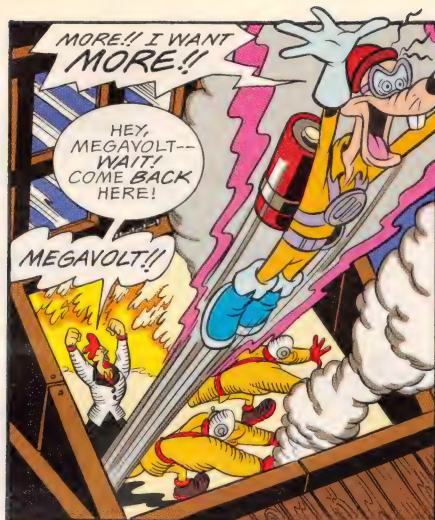


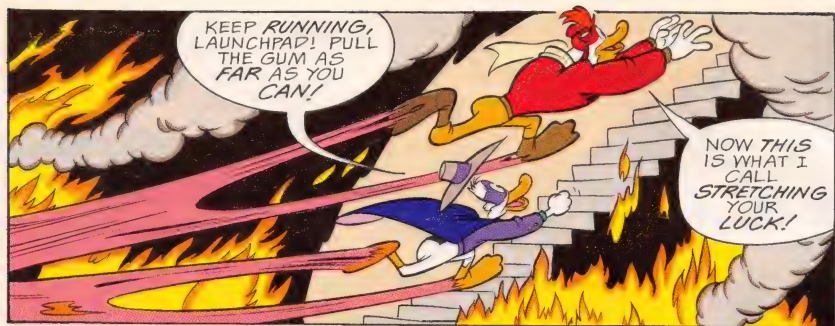


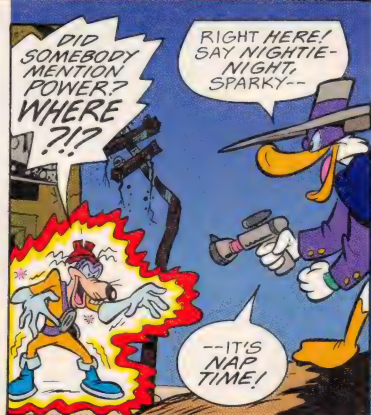
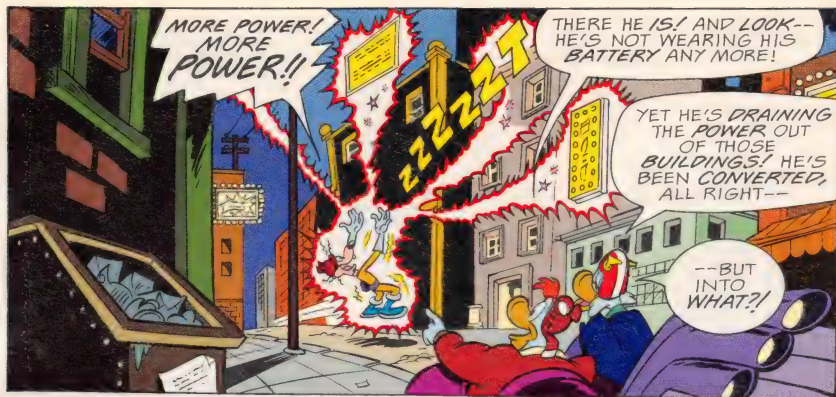












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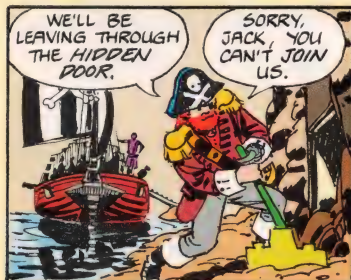
JACK, THE LEGO MANIAC, HAS SURPRISED THE DREADED CAPTAIN RED BEARD IN A HIDDEN TREASURE CAVE...

EPISODE THREE
OF**PERIL IN
PIRATE
GOVE**

PUT DOWN
YOUR WEAPONS, RED
BEARD. YOU WON'T
NEED THEM IN
THE STOCKADE!

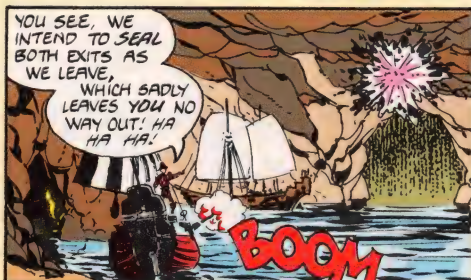
THERE'S THE
GOLD, JACK! IT
BELONGS TO THE
PEOPLE, NOT THOSE
PLUNDERING PIRATES!

QUICK! BRING THE GOLD
BACK ON BOARD, AND LET'S GET
BACK TO THE ROCK ISLAND REFUGE.

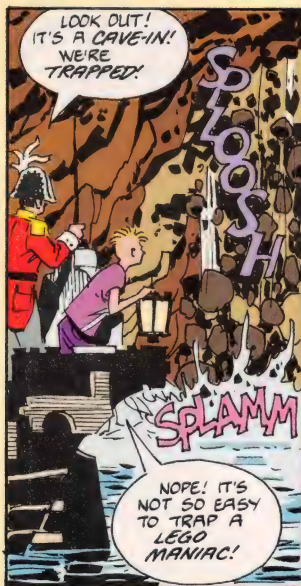


WE'LL BE
LEAVING THROUGH
THE HIDDEN
DOOR.

SORRY,
JACK, YOU
CAN'T JOIN
US.



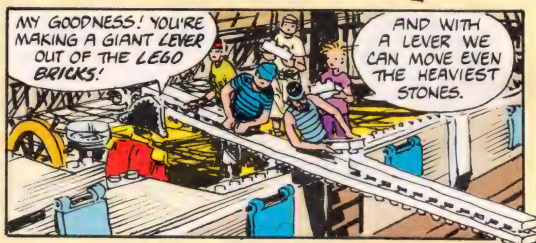
YOU SEE, WE
INTEND TO SEAL
BOTH EXITS AS
WE LEAVE,
WHICH SADLY
LEAVES YOU NO
WAY OUT! HA
HA HA!

BOOM

LOOK OUT!
IT'S A CAVE-IN!
WE'RE
TRAPPED!

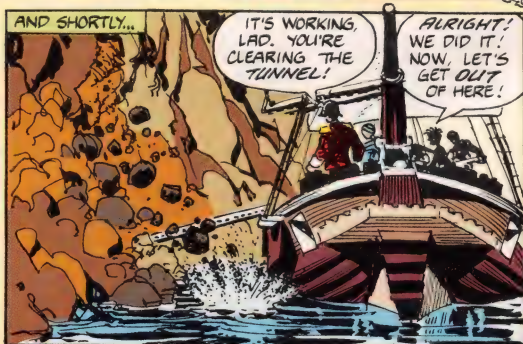
SLOSH**SPLAMM**

NOPE! IT'S
NOT SO EASY
TO TRAP A
LEGO
MANIAC!



MY GOODNESS! YOU'RE
MAKING A GIANT LEVER
OUT OF THE LEGO
BRICKS!

AND WITH A LEVER WE
CAN MOVE EVEN
THE HEAVIEST
STONES.



AND SHORTLY...

IT'S WORKING,
LAD. YOU'RE
CLEARING THE
TUNNEL!

ALRIGHT!
WE DID IT!
NOW, LET'S
GET OUT
OF HERE!



IMPERIAL FLAGSHIP

The Imperial Flagship is the command ship of Governor Broadside's fleet. Its mission is to protect merchant treasures and ensure safe passage for all ships that fly the Imperial flag. Even the bravest Pirates have been known to scatter when they see the Imperial Flagship on the horizon. It has a real compass and two moving cannons to help Governor Broadside and his three crew members retrieve royal gold from the treacherous Pirates.

Q.How many sets are there in the 1993 LEGO SYSTEM® Pirate series?

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A. 16 – see how many you can collect!!

RENEGADE RUNNER

The Renegade Runner is the fastest ship in the Pirate fleet. No Imperial Guard ship can catch it on the open seas. Captain Redbeard commands the Renegade Runner and its crew as they sail from island to island in search of hidden treasure. Four scallawag Pirates, a real compass, and a cannon are included to cause mayhem on the high seas.

Q.What is a Jolly Roger?

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A. The flag that is found on Pirate ships.

IMPERIAL TRADING POST

The Imperial Trading Post is the safe home port for Governor Broadside and his fleet. Cargo ships from all corners of the world pass through the trading post with their treasure. To defend the royal treasure from attacking Pirates, the Imperial Trading Post has eight crew members and three pivoting cannons. Two working cranes are included to hoist the treasure from visiting ships.

Q.What is a doubloon and why did Pirates like them so much?

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A. A doubloon is an old Spanish gold coin and was worth about \$10.

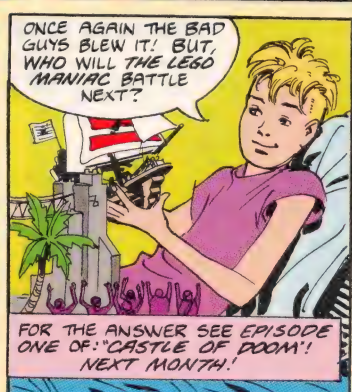
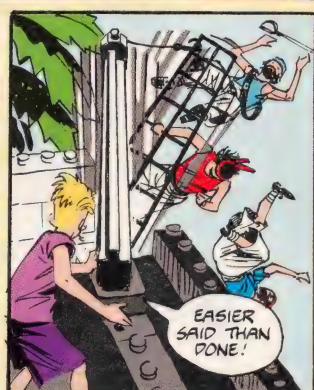
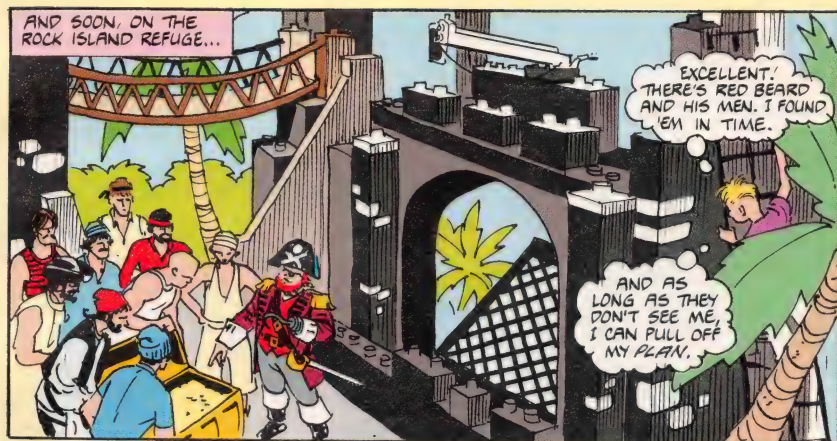
ROCK ISLAND REFUGE

The Rock Island Refuge is the hidden outpost for Captain Redbeard and the Pirates. It is here that they unload their stolen loot! Shorts prow! the waters surrounding the island to scare away any Imperial Guards. The Rock Island Refuge includes a crane to hoist pilfered treasure chests into the secret dungeon. Two Imperial Guards are included to battle with Captain Redbeard and his four Pirates for the royal treasure.

Q.What was the name for the Pirate's sword?

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A. A cutlass. It weighed 10 pounds – almost as much as five baseball bats!





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Name (Print Clearly) _____

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City _____

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Phone number, including area code _____ Birth Date (Month/Day/Year) _____

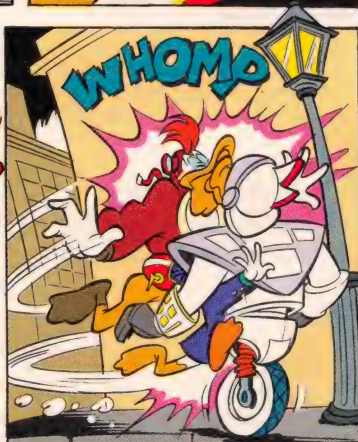
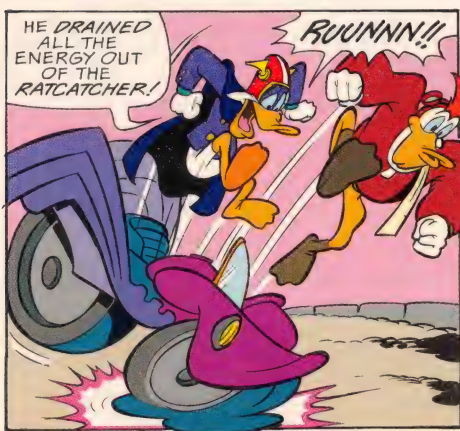
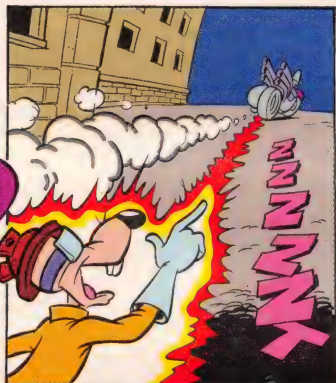
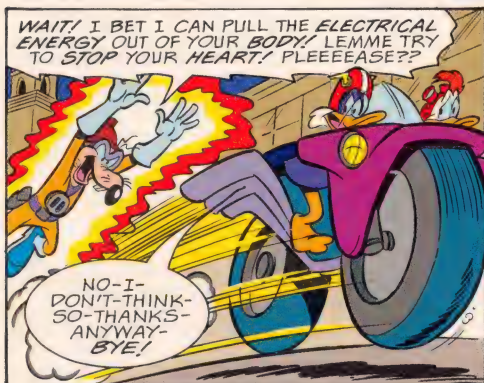
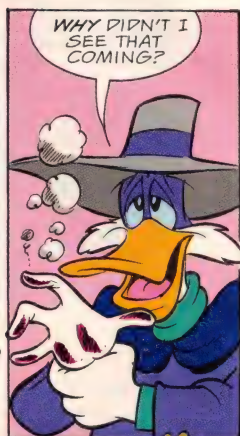
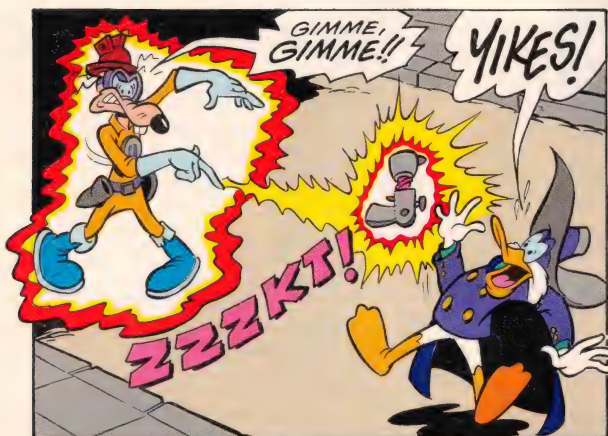
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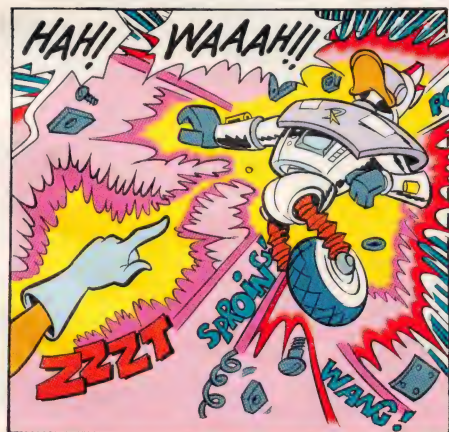
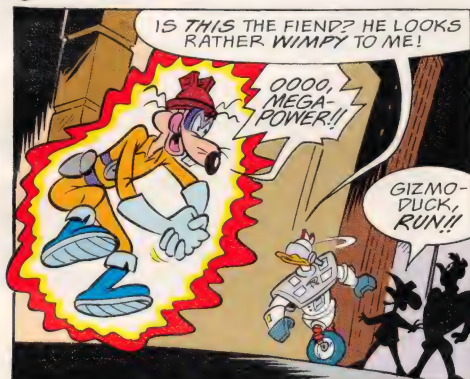
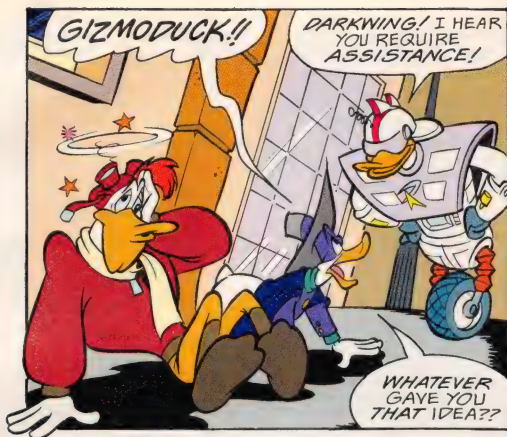
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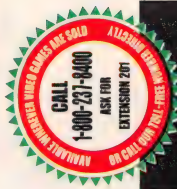
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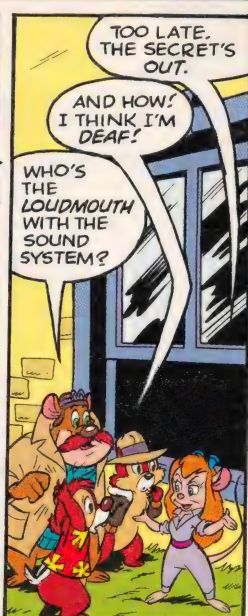
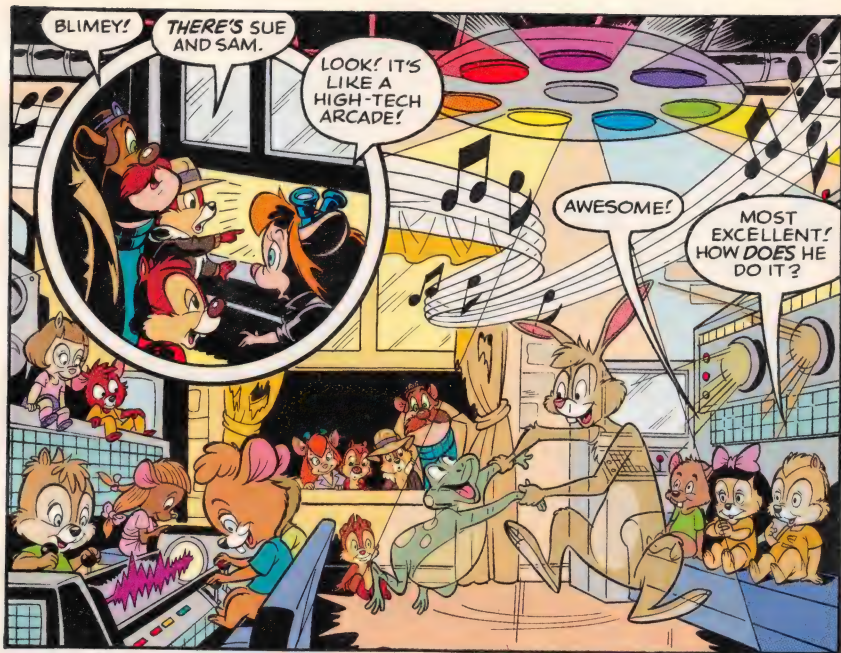
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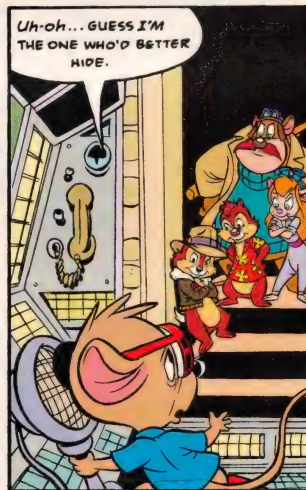
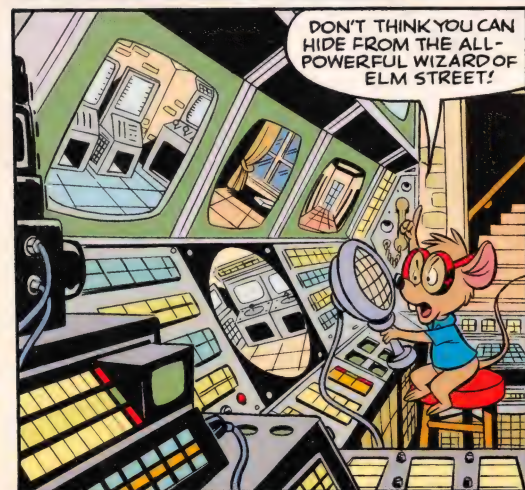
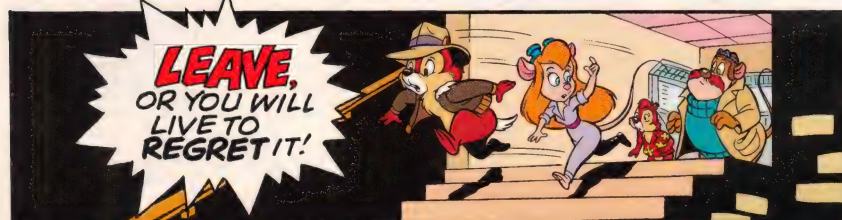
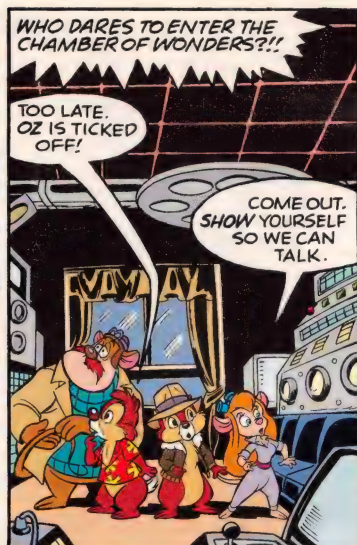


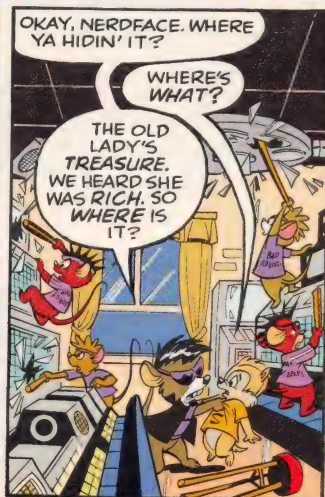
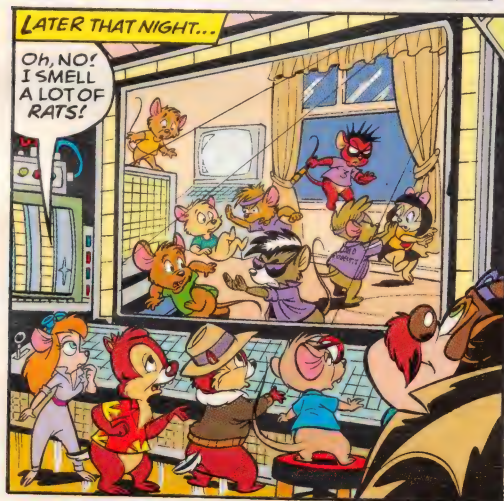
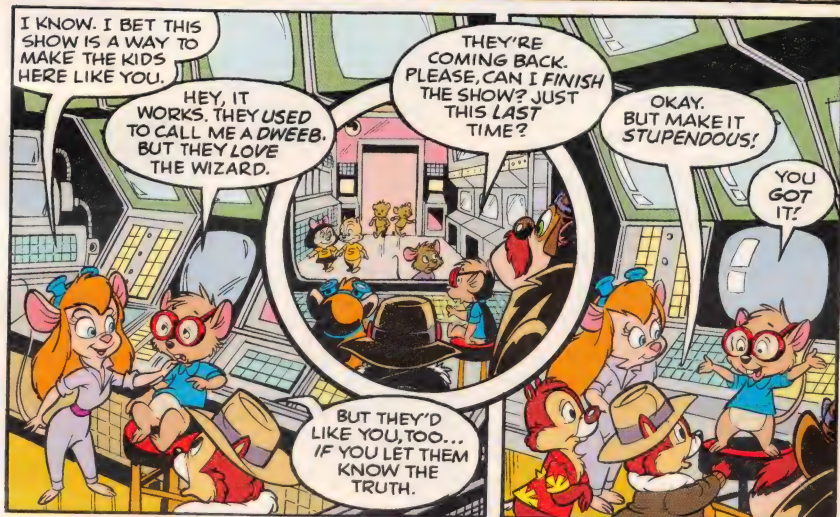
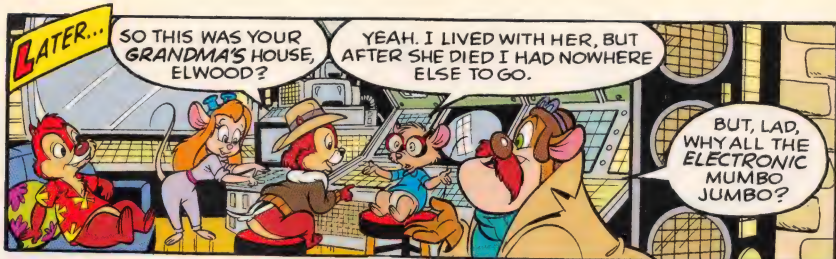
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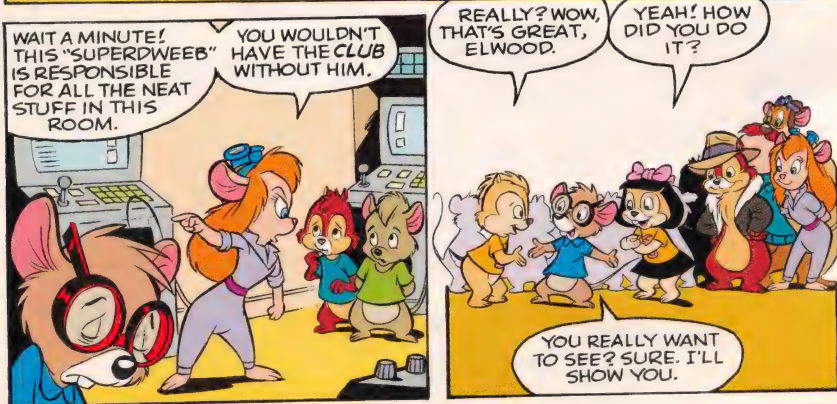
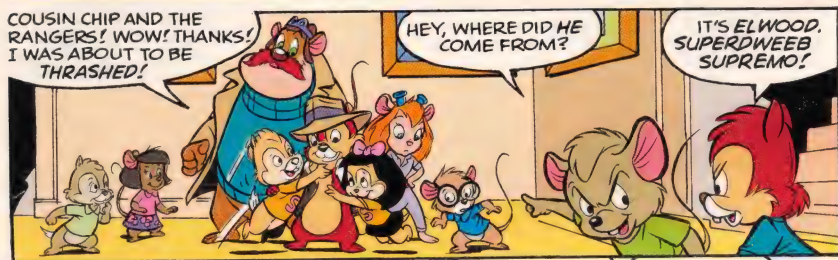
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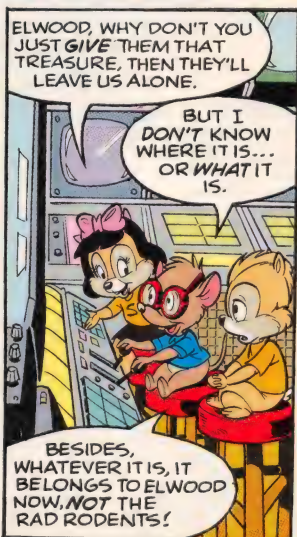
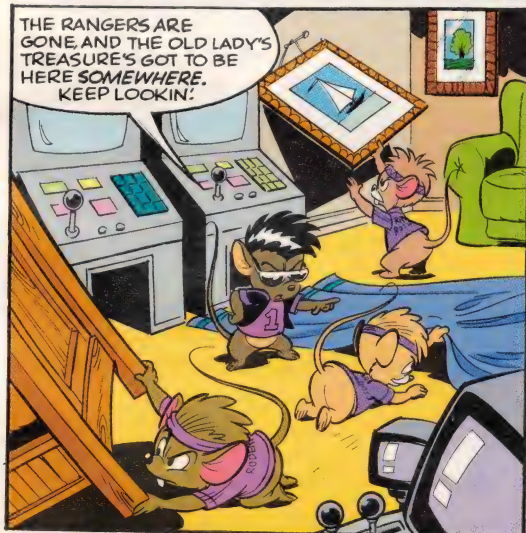
















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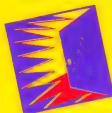


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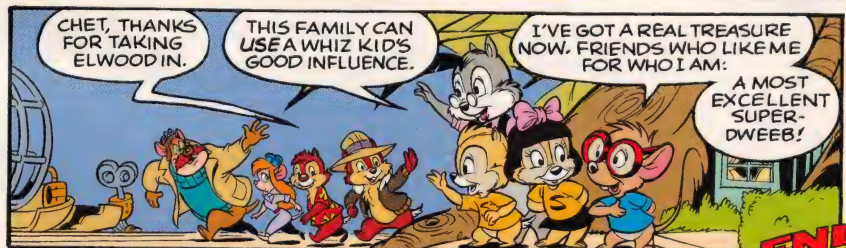
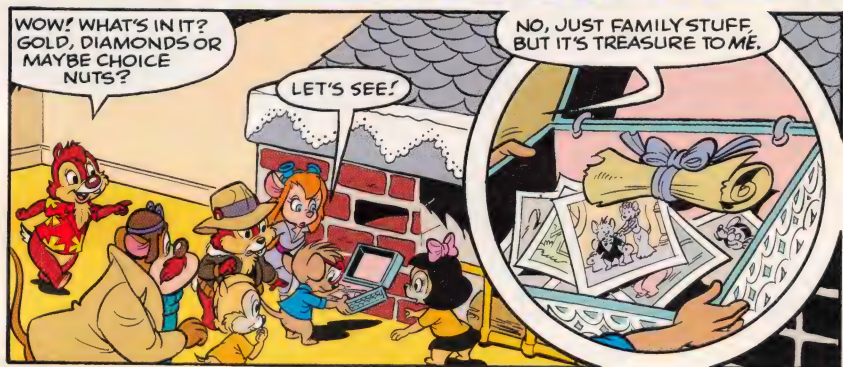
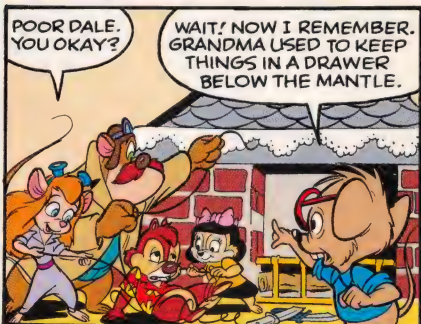
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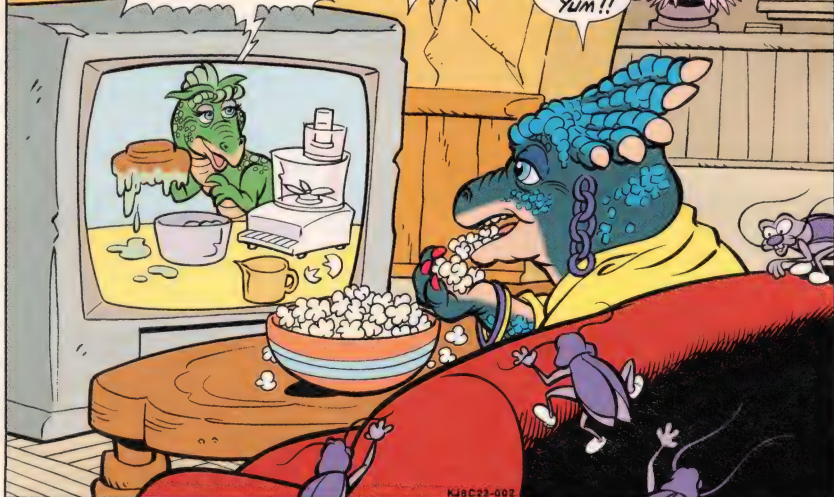
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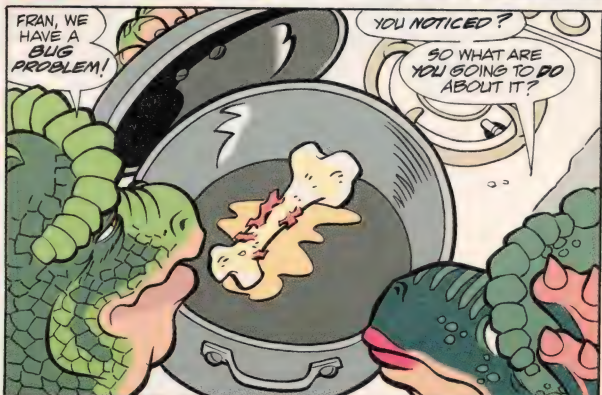
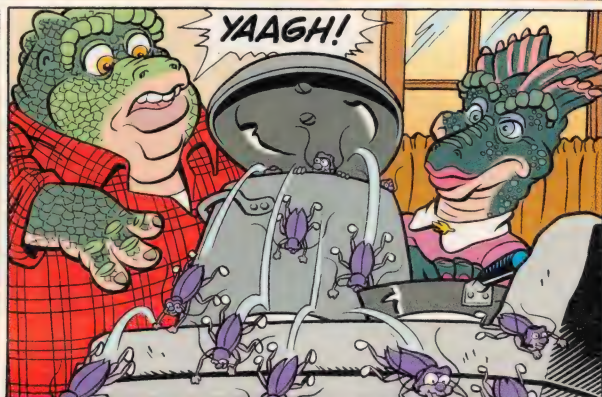
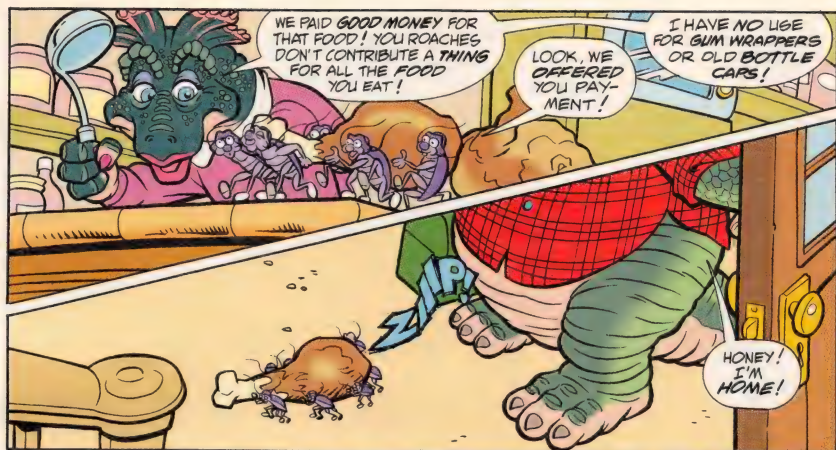
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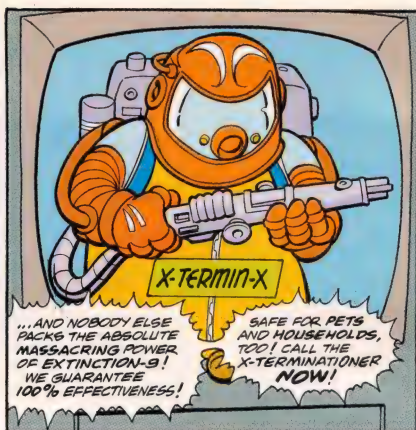
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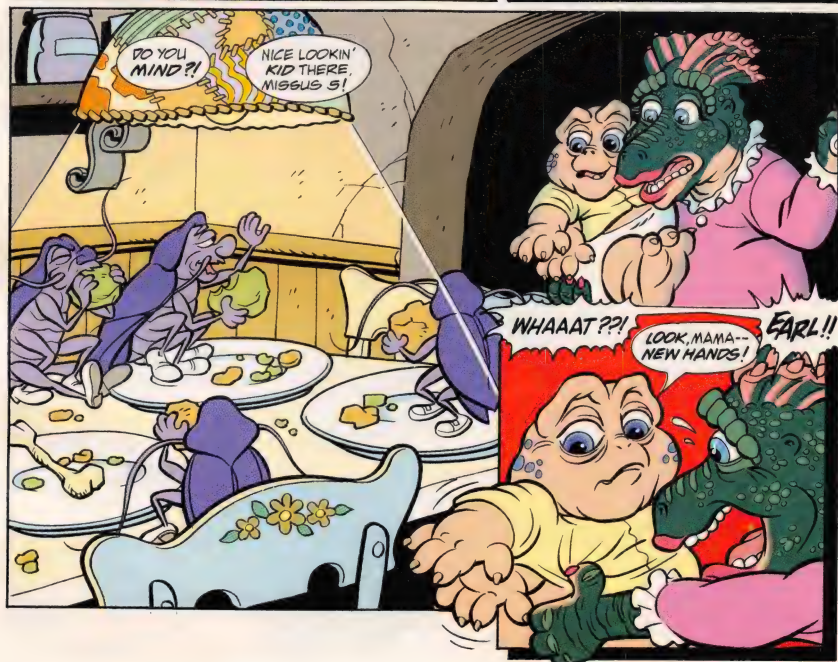
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AND THEY JUST ATE MY COPY OF SENIOR DIGESTION MAGAZINE!

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SO THE NEXT DAY...

MISTER DeKONN,
WE **STILL** HAVE
BUGS-- BUT YOU
SAID YOUR SPRAY
WAS 100% EFFECTIVE!

SURE! 100%
OF THE BUGS
KILLED BY THE
SPRAY ARE STILL
DEAD, AREN'T
THEY?

X-TERMIN-X
COMPANY
BOB DeKONN

THEN WHAT ABOUT THE "WON'T HARM PETS OR HOUSEHOLDS" PART?

MISTER SINCLAIR,
YOU DON'T HAVE ANY
PETS! AND YOUR
HOUSEHOLD IS
STILL STANDING,
RIGHT?

SO
WHAT'S THE
PROBLEM?

THE PROBLEM IS
THAT MY BABY HAS
FOUR ARMS!

MA'AM, I WOULD
CONSIDER THAT AN
ADVANTAGE IN
THIS INCREASINGLY
COMPLEX SOCIETY
OF OURS.

I WOULDN'T
MIND AN EXTRA
PAIR MYSELF
AT TIMES!

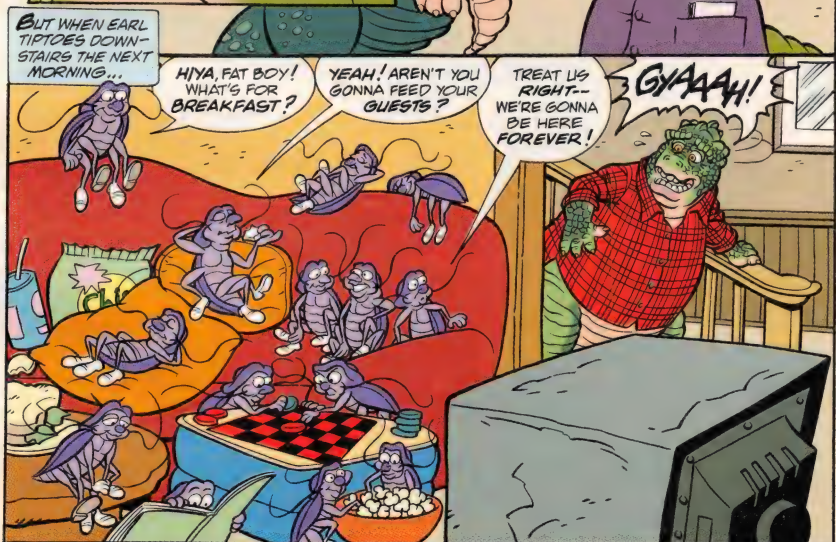
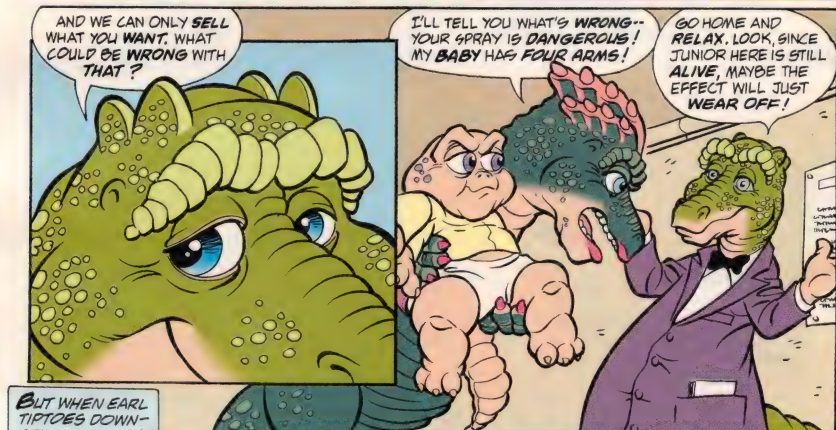
BUT IF IT BOTHERS
YOU THAT MUCH, I
CAN CUT A PAIR OFF
FOR NO EXTRA
CHARGE!

NOW, DO YOU
WANT TO KEEP
THE TOP SET
OR THE BOTTOM
SET?

LIKE 'EN
WANT
MORE
ARMS!

CLIK!!
CLIK!!

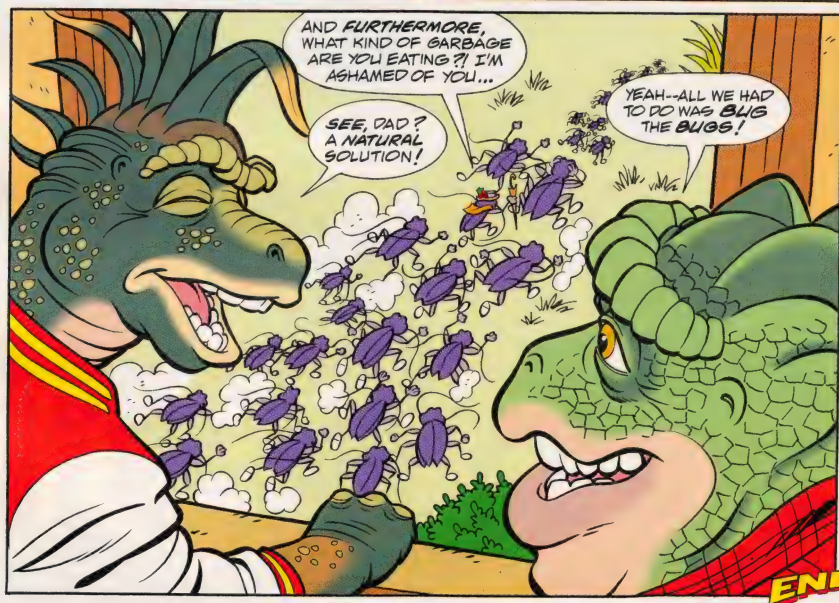
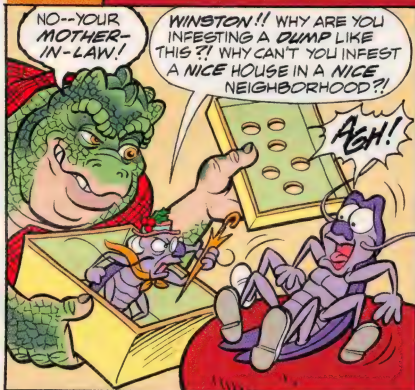
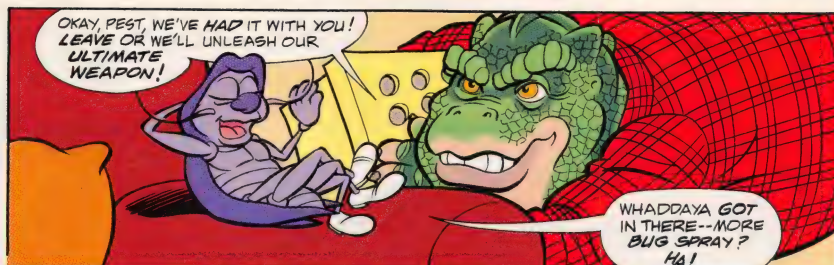
YOU'RE NOT CUTTING
OFF ANY OF MY
CHILD'S LIMBS!





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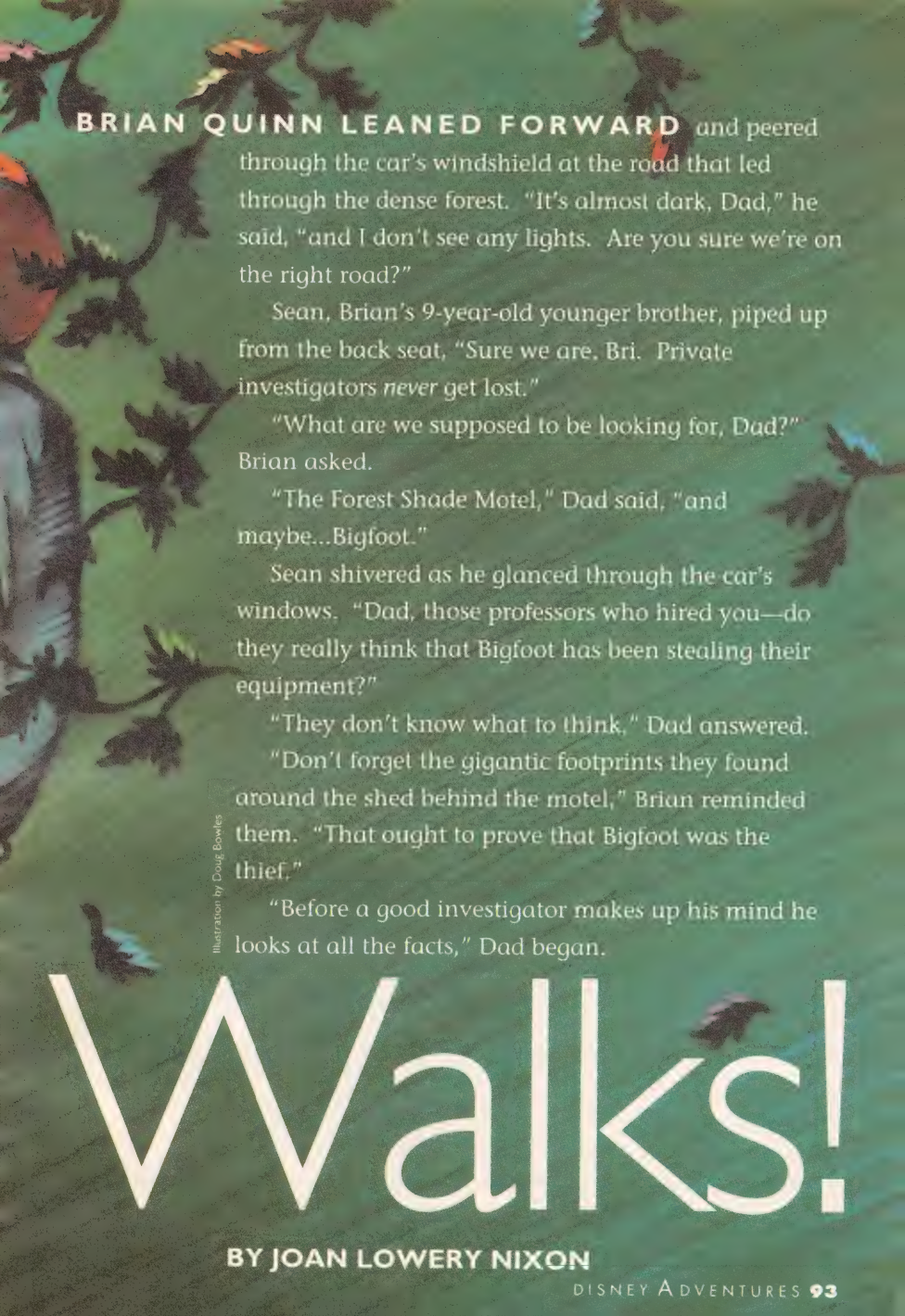






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Bigfoot



BRIAN QUINN LEANED FORWARD and peered through the car's windshield at the road that led through the dense forest. "It's almost dark, Dad," he said, "and I don't see any lights. Are you sure we're on the right road?"

Sean, Brian's 9-year-old younger brother, piped up from the back seat, "Sure we are, Bri. Private investigators *never* get lost."

"What are we supposed to be looking for, Dad?" Brian asked.

"The Forest Shade Motel," Dad said, "and maybe...Bigfoot."

Sean shivered as he glanced through the car's windows. "Dad, those professors who hired you—do they really think that Bigfoot has been stealing their equipment?"

"They don't know what to think," Dad answered.

"Don't forget the gigantic footprints they found around the shed behind the motel," Brian reminded them. "That ought to prove that Bigfoot was the thief."

"Before a good investigator makes up his mind he looks at all the facts," Dad began.

Walks!

BY JOAN LOWERY NIXON

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Brian interrupted by pointing ahead and shouting, "Look!

Lights! There's a sign—Forest Shade Motel!"

It was an old, run-down building with garden supplies and tools dumped in a heap at one side of the steps leading to the porch.

As the Quinns entered the small, shabby lobby, they were greeted by two men in jeans and wool shirts, who introduced themselves as the botanists from Pacific Coast University, which had hired Dad.

The taller was Dr. Pendergast, and the one with the mustache was Dr. Olsen, visiting this part of Northern California to study local plant life.

Dr. Pendergast didn't waste any time: "Last week a tourist who stayed at the motel told everyone she met that she'd spotted something in the woods that was big and hairy. It didn't take long for rumors about a Bigfoot sighting to spread. There's even a photographer staying here who's trying to get photos of Bigfoot."

"Talking about me?" A young man strode across the lobby and shook Dad's hand. "I'm Jeff Archer, free-lance photographer,"

he said. "I've been able to get a couple of shots, but they're not very clear."

He held out two dark photos. Brian and Sean studied them and could barely make out something large and fuzzy behind a grove of trees.

"In spite of those photos, I don't believe there is a Bigfoot," Dr. Pendergast said. "It doesn't take a Bigfoot with extra strength to tear the locks from the old, rotted wood on that shed. And as far as the footprints discovered around the shed, they look like fakes to me."

As Dad signed the guest register the desk clerk said, "I'm Barney Pringle, owner of the Forest Shade Motel. I *know* that Bigfoot has been prowling around here, taking things. I not only saw the footprints, I'm pretty sure I saw Bigfoot himself!"

Sean gasped. "You saw Bigfoot? Really? What did he look like?"

"That's hard to say," Mr. Pringle said. "Bigfoot comes around at night, when it's good and dark. Keep a sharp lookout, and you may find out for yourself."

Brian quickly reached for one of the room keys. "We'll take the suitcases to our rooms, Dad," he said. "I know that you and the others have a lot to talk about."

As soon as they reached their room, Brian said, "You heard Mr. Pringle. Bigfoot comes around when it's dark." He pointed toward the window. "It couldn't get any darker than it is now. This should be a good time to look for him." As Sean hesitated Brian asked, "We want to help Dad, don't we? Come on!"

A series of heavy thumps shook the forest near them. Branches rustled and small twigs on the ground snapped as footsteps came closer and closer.

Sean reluctantly followed Brian out the back door of the motel, across a small clearing, and into the woods, where they found a tree root to sit on. "We should have taken our flashlights," Sean complained. "There's hardly enough moonlight to see the shed. If Bigfoot comes around we won't get a very good look."

They didn't wait long before a series of heavy thumps shook the forest near them. Branches rustled and small twigs on the ground snapped as footsteps came closer and closer.

Sean and Brian jumped up,

ready to run, but froze as something loomed over them, grunting with surprise. All they could see were two eyes, squinting at them through the darkness.

Brian and Sean tripped over the tree root, scrambled to their feet and stumbled again.

"Help!" Sean croaked.
"Bigfoot's after us!"

Brian grabbed Sean's shoulder and whispered, "No, he's not! He's running away!"

They could hear a

faint thump, thump and the crackle of branches off in the distance.

The boys ran back to the lobby, where their father was still talking with Dr. Pendergast and Dr. Olsen. Sean shouted, "We saw Bigfoot, Dad!"

Dr. Pendergast frowned. "Exactly what did you see?"

"A great big guy with huge feet," Sean said.

"You saw his feet?"

"Not exactly, but we heard them."

"Was he wearing any clothing?" Dr. Olsen asked.

Brian and Sean looked at



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each other. "We didn't see that part," Brian said.

"How about his face?" Dad asked. "We didn't really see his face," Sean admitted, "but we saw his eyes. They were kind of like monster eyes."

The men glanced at each other, and Dad said, "Boys, I'm afraid you haven't given us enough real facts."

Jeff Archer came into the lobby. "Maybe you should carry one of my cameras with you," he said. "A good, clear photograph of Bigfoot would make us all famous."

Mr. Pringle came in. "I could use the publicity," he said.

Dad put firm hands on Brian's and Sean's shoulders. "We appreciate what you boys tried to do," he said. "I know you thought you saw Bigfoot, but it's easy to imagine things in a dark forest with its strange noises and frightening shadows. Maybe the eyes you saw belonged to an owl."

Brian looked at Sean, as though warning him not to say anything.

"Sean and I are going to our room and watch television, Dad,"

Brian said. "We'll see you later."

The minute the boys were back inside their motel room Brian said, "Why don't we set a trap for Bigfoot? If that thing out there really was Bigfoot!"

"Bri! You know what we saw!"

"If it was Bigfoot, why did he run away from us? Why would

A large, shadowy figure
clumped past—then cried out
and went over with a crash.

Bigfoot be afraid of us?"

Sean thought a moment. "Do you think the thief is pretending to be Bigfoot just so Bigfoot will be blamed?"

"Maybe we'll find out when we see what we catch in the trap."

"When are we going to set this trap?"

"Tonight. We surprised this guy at what he was doing, so I'm guessing he'll be back once he thinks we're asleep. All we need is a rope to tie between two trees."

"I know where we can find one," Sean said. "Remember that heap of stuff next to the porch steps? I'm sure I saw a coil of rope there."

When the motel was quiet and the few guests in it were asleep, the boys tiptoed down the hall and out the back door. With their flashlights it took just a few minutes to find the rope and tie it a foot above the ground between the two trees nearest to the shed.

The boys had no sooner settled themselves on the tree root when they heard the thumping noises they'd heard before. This

"Wait!" Sean whispered.

"I heard something in the forest!"

time they sat very still as a large, shadowy figure clumped past them.

Suddenly, the figure cried out and went over with a crash.

Lights flipped on inside the motel, and Dad ran out the back door, followed by Dr. Pendergast and Dr. Olsen. Sean and Brian turned their flashlights on the person on the ground. He was wearing some kind of furry costume and stilts with big wooden feet on their bases.

"Jeff Archer!" Sean yelled.

"Why were you stealing things, Jeff?" Dad asked him.

"What were you trying to do?"

"I'll give the equipment back," Jeff grumbled. As he got to his feet he explained, "I sold a

magazine editor on the idea I could get a picture of Bigfoot.

He's eager to publish it, and a picture like that could make me famous. Then I got all the way up here and found out the Bigfoot sighting was nothing but a rumor. So I tried to fake some

stuff to make people believe my photos were real."

"Those so-called pictures of Bigfoot

were timed-release photographs of yourself, weren't they?" Sean asked Jeff.

"What if they were?" Jeff mumbled.

As Dad and the others took Jeff back into the motel, Brian shrugged and said, "So much for Bigfoot."

"Wait!" Sean whispered. "I heard something in the forest!" He shined the beam of his flashlight toward the trees. For an instant they saw gleaming yellow eyes and heard a crashing as something ran away from them. "Bigfoot?" he whispered.

"Dad!" Brian yelled. "We solved this case, so let's get out of here—fast!"

THE END



The Stretchable Kid

You are one-quarter inch taller when you wake up than when you go to bed. No, it's not because you have big dreams: The cartilage between the vertebrae in your backbone gets squished when you walk around all day and then slowly stretches back out at night.



when exiting a cave.

The praying mantis

is the only insect

that can turn its head.



If you had \$23 million, what would you spend it on? NASA

officials recently spent that much on a supermodern, ultraefficient, *ahem*, toilet. That's right, toilet. Plain porcelain models, like the ones in most bathrooms, cost about \$98.



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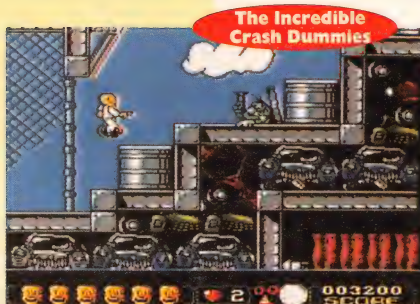
X-Men combines detailed characters with cool backgrounds and futuristic sound effects. Each X-Men character—Cyclops, Wolverine, Gambit and Nightcrawler—has unique powers. Together, they must fight the evil mutant Magneto to save the world from a deadly computer virus.

Tip: You have a better chance of winning with a two-player, simultaneous-action game, since two X-Men are better than one!

THE INCREDIBLE CRASH DUMMIES

One Player

NES



Help the “dented duo” (Spin and Slick) rescue their pals Spare Tire and Daryl from Junkman. Your quest starts in the Crash Test Center where you must avoid obstacles and Junkbots while collecting spare parts and cones. Since the Crash Dummies are almost indestructible, you can have a blast trying all kinds of crazy stunts.

Tip: Jump on non-moving tires to reach high places, but avoid the bouncing tires.

STAR TREK: THE NEXT GENERATION

One Player

Nintendo Game Boy

As a Starfleet Academy cadet, you take part in holodeck simulations to prepare you to become a starship captain. Command the *Enterprise's* crew and direct multiple combat, combat avoidance and rescue missions.

Tip: Carefully follow the advice of Commander Riker and the crew in your early missions.



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One or Two Players

Super NES

You're a prehistoric monkey who's been changed into a cave dude armed with a club. Get ready for some awesome monkey business as you travel prehistoric lands, bopping dinosaurs and other creatures on the head while searching for your kidnapped girlfriend.

Tip: Use your club to defeat flying Pteranodons or jump on their backs and hitch a ride.



—Jason Rich

GAMER'S

tip of the month

In Legend of Zelda: A Link to the Past (Super NES), give the witch at the Magic Shop the mushroom and you'll receive magic powder. Also, if you use the glove to lift the big grey rocks you'll discover hidden stairs.

Todd Burnop
Whitesboro, NY



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SPLIT HITS: Feel like you're only getting half the cards? That's because most baseball companies are putting out their sets in two series this year. The first series hit the shelves way back in February (Card Shark, February 1993 issue) and the second series is out now. Why the split? So you can get *all the latest*—from player trades to awesome new teams like the Colorado Rockies and Florida Marlins—in the second set.

Meanwhile, here's some other hot stuff:

TOPPSBLACKGOLD

What: Limited-edition insert set in Topps Series I and II 1993 baseball.

How Many: 22 cards in both series.

Special Features: Special gold foil against a glossy black background.

Collecting Tip: In some packs, the ToppsGold card will be replaced with a "You've Just Won" card: Turn it in for multiple ToppsBlackGold player cards.



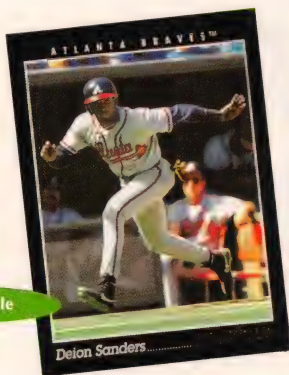
ToppsBlackGold

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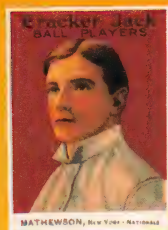
What: Limited-edition insert set in 1993 Pinnacle baseball.

How Many: 10

Special Features: Double-sided—there's



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Collecting Tip: Get a bonus card of Ron Dibble and Rick Aguilera when you send in 10 1993 Pinnacle wrappers and \$1.50 for postage and handling to Score. (Please, don't send anything to the Card Shark!)

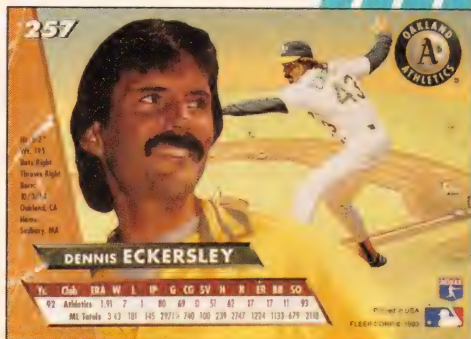
1993 FLEER ULTRA

What: Extra sharp, high-quality cards.

How Many: Two series, 300 cards in each.

Special Features: UV coating, gold foil on logo, big photos.

Collecting Tip: Look for last year's Cy Young and MVP award-winner Dennis Eckersley in a limited-edition subset.



Fleer Ultra

1993 DONRUSS TRIPLE PLAY

What: Easy to collect cards with lots of trivia, fun facts and player quotes.

How Many: 264

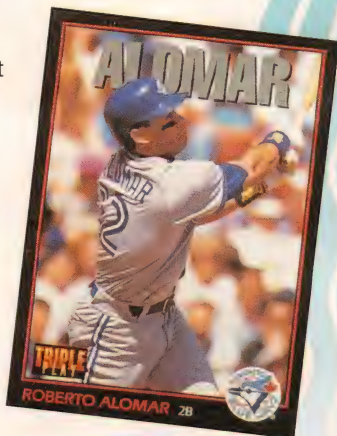
Special Features: 10-card nickname insert set in foil packs only, including Frank "Big Hurt" Thomas and "Ryno" Sandberg.

Collecting Tip: At 59¢ a pack, this set's a bargain.

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Use the clues to figure out these **O-X** words.

1. Cardboard container

___ O X

2. Sly animal

___ O X

3. Childhood sickness

___ O X

4. Boston and Chicago baseball teams, for short

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5. Punching sport

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7. Annoying, like your younger brother or sister

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ANSWERS



1. Paper fan
2. Thimble
3. Peppermint candy
4. Stereo headphone plug
5. Compass
6. Door hinge
7. Fire extinguisher
8. Fishing pole

EYE BOGLERS



1. Box
2. Fox
3. Chicken pox
4. Sox
5. Boxing
6. Appomattox
7. Obnoxious

HUGS AND KISSES

1. Pacifier
2. Package
3. Paint brush
4. Paisley
5. Palamas
6. Palette
7. Pan
8. Paper airplane
9. Parachute
10. Parade
11. Parakeet
12. Paratrooper
13. Pasta
14. Peace sign
15. Peanut
16. Pencil
17. Penny
18. Photographer
19. Pickpocket
20. Picnic basket
21. Pie
22. Pigeons
23. Pigtales
24. Pinwheel
25. Pipe
26. Pirate
27. Plaid
28. Pocket
29. Point
30. Police
31. Polka dot
32. Poodle
33. Popcorn
34. Postbox
35. Pothole
36. Pretzel
37. Private
38. Puddle
39. Pumpkin
40. Purse

PASSING PARADE!

Jokes AND Riddles

Q: What do trolls do after school?

A: Their gnomework!
Stephanie Johnston, 10
Morges, OH



Q: What kind of pants does a ghost wear?

A: Boojeans!
Amanda Woodward, 9
Russellville, KY



Q: What is the difference between a cat and a frog?

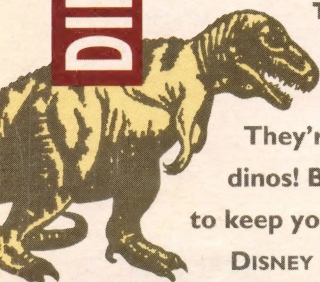
A: A cat has nine lives and a frog just croaks!
Dale Barnes, 10
Masonville, NY



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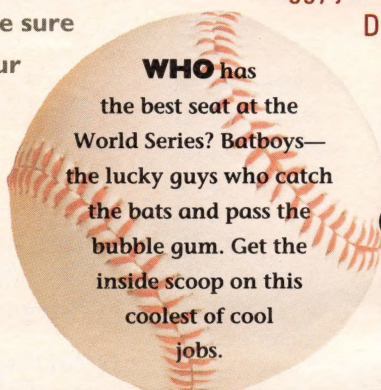
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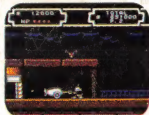


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